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MEMORANDA.

Population.—The last quarterly estimate of population shows that the number of persons in the State on 30th September last was 1,674,594, of whom 873,796 were males, and 800,798 were females. The total includes 2,012 aborigines, but excludes 1,714 inhabitants of the Federal capital area—Yass-Canberra. The increase in population during the quarter was 14,820, and during the six months since the census, on the 2nd April, 25,848. Of the latter increase, which was equal to a rate of about 3·2 per cent per annum, 15,173 was due to excess of births over deaths, and 10,675 to excess of arrivals.

Trade.—The overseas imports during October were valued at £2,266,024, which shows an increase of £229,644, or over 11 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. The total for the ten months was £22,508,901, an increase of £3,435,700, or 18 per cent. over the corresponding figures for 1910. There were increases in most of the principal articles—apparel and soft goods, cordage and twines, metal manufactures, machines and machinery, and timber.

The overseas exports for October amounted to £3,733,617, being a decrease of £138,397, or over 3 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. For the ten months there was a decrease in the overseas exports of £692,608, or nearly 3 per cent., as compared with last year.

Principal increases during the ten months were—

	£
Butter... ..	212,129
Minerals	436,656

Principal decreases during the same period were—

Wool	1,845,218
Other Pastoral Produce	311,072
Wheat and Flour	236,582

Separating merchandise from gold, the exports of the former during the ten months decreased by £1,993,864, and the latter increased by £1,301,256.

Imports at Sydney.—Excluding the value of the imports from State ports, the articles imported at the port of Sydney in October were valued at £2,937,141. The following is a summary of the imports during the month :—

	Weight and Measurement.	Value.
	tons.	£
Imports Oversea	124,106	2,193,911
„ Interstate	37,949	743,230
„ From State Ports	172,191	Not available.
Transshipments—		
Oversea... ..	16,623	„
Interstate	36,374	„
To State Ports	9,438	„

A few special articles, denoted by number in the detailed table within, have been converted into weight or measurement, and are included in the above statement. During the ten months ended October, 1911, the overseas imports were valued at £21,735,070, and the Interstate imports at £7,004,942, the total of the two being £28,740,012.

Public Finances.—The Public Accounts for October show that the net revenue for the month was £1,295,497, or £8,698 more than in October of last year. During the four months ended 31st October, the revenue was £4,653,806, being £151,061 more than the corresponding period of the last financial year.

Principal increases during the four months were— £

From Taxation	...	...	88,880
" Railways and Tramways	...	...	152,243
" Sydney Harbour Trust	...	...	12,635
" Water and Sewerage Rates	...	...	16,270

Principal decreases during the same period were— £

Commonwealth Returns	...	...	131,523
Lands	...	...	7,464

The expenditure during October was £1,504,073, an increase of £139,847, as compared with October of last year. During the four months the expenditure was £5,458,578, being £310,057, or over 6 per cent. more than in 1910–11.

Principal increases during the four months were— £

Business Undertakings	...	...	219,661
Interest Repayments	...	...	62,147
Government Departments	...	...	28,249

On the 31st October, 1911, the Consolidated Revenue Account was in debit to the amount of £711,245, but which sum includes payments in anticipation of the passing of Loan Votes.

Railways.—The report on Railways for the quarter ended 30th September, shows that, compared with the corresponding quarter of last year, the earnings increased by £63,960, and the working expenses by £38,062, the net result being a record improvement of £25,898. Relatively the earnings decreased by $2\frac{3}{4}$ d., and the expenditure by $1\frac{1}{2}$ d. per train mile.

The total earnings for all lines of Tramways during the quarter amounted to £354,052, and the working expenses to £296,578, leaving a surplus of £57,474.

Banks.—The banking averages for the quarter ended 30th September, which generally covers the accounts for the weakest period of the year, continue to show very great expansion, the principal feature being the increase in advances and the decrease in bank notes. Compared with the corresponding period of last year, there was an increase of £3,291,082 in current accounts, and in deposits as a whole, of £6,094,957. Reserves of coin and bullion were £956,478 greater. Advances increased by £2,421,502 during the quarter, and during the year by £5,676,028. The proportion of cash, bullion, and notes to total liabilities now stands at over 29 per cent.

Mineral Production.—The value of the minerals exported from New South Wales during the third quarter of 1911 amounted to £2,236,470, and during the first nine months to £5,895,636, which show increases of £218,011 and £797,180 respectively, as compared with the corresponding periods of last year. The output of the silver lead mines is responsible for an increase in the value of products during the nine months of £403,616, and in the value of zinc concentrates of £158,256 ;

the exports of copper and tin also show favourable increases in value for the period, due to the enhanced price of the metals. In the coal trade the exports are being well maintained, and exhibit comparative increases of 249,934 tons and £154,705 in value, although in 1910, labour difficulties somewhat restricted the output.

The gold yield during October was 25,616 oz. crude, equal to 22,020 oz. fine, valued at £93,535. The value of gold produced during the ten months was £648,369, and showed a decrease of £27,575, as compared with the corresponding period of 1910.

Prices.—The general index number for October was higher than that of September, and slightly higher than for the corresponding month of last year. The index number for pastoral produce was 1,244, for metals 1,192, and for all articles 1,239. During the month, the prices of butter, wheat, leather, frozen beef, copper, lead, and tin advanced; but greasy wool and hides declined in value; other articles remained at about the same level as those ruling in September.

Land Selections.—During October 87 applications were made for 52,798 acres; and 40,954 acres, representing 61 blocks, were set apart for residential settlement. Since the beginning of the year, the number of applications has been 1,107, and the area applied for 671,609 acres. The original area set apart for residential settlement since the 1st January has been 492,935 acres, representing 673 blocks.

Meteorology.—During the month of October, New South Wales was visited by four rainstorms; but the falls generally were very varied, although in many parts of the State, the totals closely approached the average. The southern half of the area west of the Darling, portions of the North Coast, and scattered districts in the Central Tableland were most favoured. On the whole the "Wheat Belt" received substantial benefit from the rains experienced during the second and third weeks of the month.

Vital Statistics—Sydney and Suburbs—October, 1911.—The Births registered numbered 1,562, equal to 29·64 per 1,000 of population; of the total, 824 were males and 738 females. The rate is very satisfactory, being the highest for the month of October since the year 1895, and 9 per cent. above the average for the previous five years.

The total Deaths numbered 526, namely, 313 males and 213 females, equal to a rate of 9·96 per 1,000 of population, being below the average for the previous five years in all age-groups except 5–64.

The Infantile mortality was 47 per 1,000 births, a record which is gratifying in the extreme. The rate is phenomenally light, being 33 per cent. below the average for the previous five years.

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No. 1.—Population.

Year.				Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
				Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1901	...	...	...	720,762	656,886	1,377,648	13,058	'96	1,367,450
1902	...	...	...	734,051	669,146	1,403,197	25,549	1'85	1,391,900
1903	...	...	...	744,951	679,798	1,424,749	21,552	1'53	1,414,100
1904	...	...	...	760,576	691,648	1,452,224	27,475	1'93	1,438,300
1905	...	...	...	777,923	706,155	1,484,078	31,854	2'19	1,468,000
1906	...	...	...	794,894	721,268	1,516,162	32,084	2'16	1,500,900
1907	...	...	...	814,585	738,418	1,553,003	36,841	2'43	1,537,750
1908	...	...	...	825,783	753,404	1,579,187	26,184	1'69	1,567,000
1909	...	...	...	838,527	768,698	1,607,225	28,038	1'78	1,592,000
1910	...	...	...	854,165	785,557	1,639,722	32,497	2'02	1,622,200
1911—Census, 2nd Apl.				858,850	789,896	1,648,746	.....	.....	.....
1911—30th June				865,241	794,533	1,659,774	.....	.....	.....
1911—30th September				873,796	800,798	1,674,594	.....	.....	.....

The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, viz., 4,117 in 1901; 3,389 in 1902; 3,662 in 1903; 3,434 in 1904; 3,206 in 1905; 2,979 in 1906; 2,751 in 1907; 2,522 in 1908; 2,294 in 1909; 2,066 in 1910; and 2,012 in 1911.

The population since 1st January, 1911, is, exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 2nd April was 1,714, of whom 992 were males and 722 females.

The figures in the above table, and in tables 3, 4, and 5, have been altered since last issue, having been adjusted on account of the Census.

No. 2.—Marriages, Births, and Deaths.

Year.				Births.		Deaths.		Excess of Births over Deaths.	
				Marriages.					
					Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Per 1,000 of Population.
1900	...	...	...	9,996	18,964	18,182	8,951	6,167	22,028
1901	...	...	...	10,538	19,149	18,726	9,327	6,694	21,854
1902	...	...	...	10,486	19,322	18,513	9,535	7,111	21,189
1903	...	...	...	9,759	18,377	17,589	9,428	7,069	19,469
1904	...	...	...	10,422	19,857	18,810	8,733	6,627	23,307
1905	...	...	...	10,970	20,206	19,295	8,709	6,269	24,523
1906	...	...	...	11,551	21,066	19,882	8,715	6,260	25,973
1907	...	...	...	12,189	21,616	20,579	9,429	6,981	25,785
1908	...	...	...	12,642	21,643	20,882	9,323	6,767	26,435
1909	...	...	...	13,048	22,499	21,270	9,202	6,638	27,929
1910	...	...	...	14,294	23,443	22,090	9,349	6,842	29,342
Jan. to Sept., 1911				11,283	18,292	17,398	7,477	5,465	22,748
" " 1910				10,610	17,596	16,573	6,812	5,072	22,285
July to Sept., 1911				3,569	6,386	6,109	2,676	1,945	7,874
" " 1910				3,485	6,217	5,799	2,338	1,761	7,917

The figures in above table, since 1st January, 1911, are exclusive of results of Federal Capital Area.

No. 3.—Movement of Population.

Year.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.
	Males.	Females	Males.	Females		Males.	Females	Males.	Females	
1901	50,234	25,905	56,342	31,132	163,613	45,356	25,066	69,178	32,639	172,239
1902	54,942	26,249	52,080	27,379	160,650	44,947	23,819	58,443	28,853	156,062
1903	46,121	24,449	55,034	26,739	152,343	40,973	23,947	58,101	27,012	150,033
1904	48,700	24,278	55,917	27,367	156,262	40,912	23,965	59,074	27,915	151,866
1905	47,872	26,298	65,061	33,074	172,305	40,033	24,941	66,920	32,852	164,746
1906	50,257	29,208	75,352	38,518	193,335	42,603	27,583	78,256	38,555	186,997
1907	63,759	34,516	93,153	47,061	238,489	51,874	31,072	97,404	46,855	227,205
1908	65,661	35,195	94,884	48,685	244,425	60,962	33,490	100,573	49,422	244,447
1909	69,330	36,680	96,069	48,131	250,510	63,713	31,312	102,109	50,039	250,173
1910	72,421	39,104	108,870	54,821	275,216	66,126	36,079	113,491	56,137	271,833
July to Sept., 1911...	20,102	9,991	33,297	15,891	79,281	16,243	7,953	32,311	15,828	72,335
„ 1910 ...	15,869	8,388	26,326	12,967	63,550	12,944	6,820	27,576	12,997	60,337
Jan. to Sept., 1911...	65,762	35,545	95,870	48,368	245,545	56,222	31,328	95,574	48,535	231,659
„ 1910 ...	51,592	27,836	77,433	39,383	196,244	47,928	26,116	80,680	39,816	194,540

No. 4.—Countries whence Immigrants arrived.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1901	87,474	46,982	4,579	13,706	10,872	163,613
1902	79,458	46,900	4,864	13,161	16,267	160,650
1903	81,773	42,529	4,249	12,868	10,924	152,343
1904	83,283	42,910	4,842	14,314	10,913	156,262
1905	98,135	44,315	4,859	15,093	9,903	172,305
1906	113,870	48,294	5,641	16,525	9,005	193,335
1907	140,214	58,734	7,895	20,137	11,509	238,489
1908	143,569	56,582	10,386	20,277	13,611	244,425
1909	144,200	55,285	15,057	23,040	12,928	250,510
1910	163,691	58,146	16,537	22,410	14,432	275,216
July to Sept., 1911...	49,188	14,109	5,054	5,347	5,583	79,281
„ 1910 ...	39,293	12,082	4,241	4,144	3,790	63,550
Jan. to Sept., 1911...	144,238	51,364	15,520	21,361	13,062	245,545
„ 1910 ...	116,816	41,119	11,772	15,801	10,736	196,244

No. 5.—Countries for which Emigrants departed.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1901	101,817	44,308	5,229	12,178	8,707	172,239
1902	87,296	37,187	6,077	13,062	12,440	156,062
1903	85,113	35,621	5,240	13,472	10,587	150,033
1904	86,989	36,615	5,956	13,041	9,265	151,866
1905	99,772	37,518	5,612	12,559	9,285	164,746
1906	116,811	40,259	4,721	15,765	9,441	186,997
1907	141,259	48,051	4,827	19,773	10,295	227,205
1908	149,995	54,400	7,132	21,149	11,771	244,447
1909	152,148	60,893	6,656	17,521	12,955	250,173
1910	169,628	63,081	7,702	16,958	14,164	271,833
July to Sept., 1911...	48,139	14,546	1,442	4,044	4,164	72,335
„ 1910 ...	40,573	12,003	1,104	3,597	3,060	60,337
Jan. to Sept., 1911...	144,109	55,172	7,488	12,032	12,858	231,659
„ 1910 ...	120,496	45,816	6,466	11,085	10,677	194,540

No. 6.—Principal Causes of Death—Nine Months—January to September.

Causes of Death.	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
	1911.			1910.	1911.			1910.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.
General Diseases—								
Typhoid Fever	15	24	39	78	82	67	149	245
Measles	2	...	2	30	16	9	25	55
Scarlet Fever	1	2	3	7	6	4	10	19
Whooping-cough	25	29	54	24	66	63	129	64
Diphtheria and Croup	19	26	45	56	97	93	190	199
Influenza	30	25	55	19	83	71	154	92
Dysentery ... ..	...	2	2	3	15	10	25	39
Plague ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Epidemic Diseases... ..	3	5	8	8	17	13	30	20
Septicæmia	11	10	21	10	18	20	38	24
Tetanus	6	7	13	7	27	9	36	21
Tuberculosis—Lungs	195	138	333	318	505	324	829	757
Other Organs	29	21	50	69	57	45	102	128
General	5	3	8	7	12	7	19	13
Syphilis	18	12	30	27	25	25	50	39
Cancer	183	240	423	419	478	427	905	875
Rheumatism	13	14	27	37	42	32	74	100
Diabetes	21	27	48	52	49	62	111	118
Exophthalmic Goitre	1	10	11	15	1	16	17	21
Anæmia	18	26	44	34	36	45	81	61
Other General Diseases	32	12	44	35	80	26	106	99
Local Diseases—								
Meningitis	35	12	47	41	70	42	112	107
Diseases of Spinal Cord	34	13	47	30	69	23	92	61
Hæmorrhage, &c., of Brain	109	133	242	190	258	204	522	434
General Paralysis of Insane	49	4	53	34	65	6	71	50
Convulsions of Infants	13	20	33	44	55	46	101	129
Other Nervous Diseases	53	49	102	97	138	100	238	243
Acute Endocarditis	15	14	29	17	35	25	60	34
Organic Diseases of Heart	297	283	580	457	741	572	1,313	1,129
Other Diseases Circulatory System	74	51	125	99	163	93	256	214
Bronchitis	90	94	184	137	272	211	483	360
Pneumonia, Broncho-pneumonia... ..	191	129	320	256	443	337	780	622
Other Diseases Respiratory System	39	31	70	50	134	68	202	146
Diseases of Stomach	31	38	69	53	74	74	148	115
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2)	150	128	278	319	340	284	624	814
" " (over 2)	36	29	65	68	111	85	196	221
Appendicitis	22	14	36	31	44	38	82	84
Intestinal Obstruction	24	29	53	35	61	57	118	93
Cirrhosis of Liver... ..	37	20	57	36	61	30	91	77
Other Diseases Digestive System... ..	29	31	60	85	77	78	155	183
Nephritis	193	140	333	262	398	224	622	565
Other Diseases Urinary System	47	5	52	53	109	12	121	131
Diseases of Genital Organs	1	28	29	24	1	43	44	38
Puerperal Condition ... ..	...	92	92	78	...	226	226	206
Diseases of Skin	21	15	36	30	51	30	81	73
Diseases of Bones, &c.	11	9	20	10	18	13	31	17
Congenital Malformations	17	9	26	36	61	37	98	100
Diseases of Infancy	219	155	374	354	572	436	1,008	915
Senility	77	134	211	162	510	375	885	663
Violence—								
Suicide	47	18	65	44	116	30	146	121
Accident	169	55	224	197	554	150	704	666
Homicide	6	9	15	14	14	15	29	35
Not Classed (Open Verdict)	11	4	15	18	42	6	48	52
Ill-defined Causes	19	21	40	47	112	72	184	197
Total	2,793	2,449	5,242	4,663	7,481	5,470	12,951	11,884

Approximate Mean Annual Death-rate per 1,000 of Population—

	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
1906-1910	10·18	..	..	..	11·03	..
1911	10·37	..	..	..	9·46	..

No. 7.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, 1905 to 1910.

Article.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ale, Beer, &c. ...	116,911	118,229	145,028	143,170	145,484	139,454
Animals ...	35,299	59,621	60,210	66,198	61,431	206,334
Apparel and Attire ...	775,523	889,733	990,981	839,235	915,985	1,020,159
Piece Goods ...	2,432,180	2,710,081	3,126,716	2,818,715	3,001,397	3,527,671
Boots and Shoes ...	104,096	115,381	132,891	133,430	132,757	174,897
Cordage and Twines ...	32,228	39,611	54,046	270,103	279,565	276,299
Drugs, Chemicals & Medicines	157,228	158,052	243,865	296,528	290,237	312,246
Fish—all kinds ...	84,204	98,577	126,841	206,375	168,882	195,516
Fruits and Vegetables ...	68,084	105,559	139,762	134,115	180,218	122,580
Furniture ...	81,811	97,782	117,172	88,623	98,434	94,591
Glass and Glassware ...	94,720	113,189	165,477	159,593	160,692	178,734
Gold—Coined and Uncoined...	957,380	1,586,999	1,048,343	608,655	587,362	520,236
Grain—Rice ...	81,424	96,597	112,098	120,422	92,845	113,081
Hats and Caps ...	148,179	151,809	178,561	171,826	183,122	151,129
Iron and Steel—Bar, Rod, &c.	221,970	311,445	369,716	335,919	280,639	488,028
Plate and Sheet ...	251,912	296,066	398,722	357,497	579,850	527,926
Leather ...	109,552	168,956	181,209	138,198	172,548	143,797
Machines and Machinery—						
Agricultural ...	89,293	79,101	101,741	127,292	143,064	215,103
Other ...	763,919	800,353	1,301,124	1,447,120	1,484,649	1,358,360
Metal Manufactures ...	923,117	1,208,343	1,476,895	1,304,797	1,204,545	1,398,832
Oil—Kerosene... ..	128,776	111,785	153,014	125,955	195,964	161,115
Spirits ...	327,948	339,171	455,853	447,654	465,236	472,686
Sugar ...	111,110	190,466	45,783	208,782	737,539	307,794
Tea ...	335,432	381,069	512,656	460,034	475,807	560,475
Timber ...	336,698	526,413	652,317	710,727	748,629	820,125
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	203,401	258,371	354,705	394,943	269,960	373,364
Wool ...	2,534	1,385	7,013	4,682	9,063	2,676
Other Articles... ..	5,510,194	6,598,359	8,207,652	7,707,898	7,822,115	9,375,793
Total ...	£ 14,485,123	17,603,503	20,860,391	19,828,486	20,888,019	23,238,993

No. 8.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, 1908 to 1910.

Article.	1908.		1909.		1910.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Animals, Living ...	.....	103,571	... ..	60,235	.....	82,724
Butter ... lb.	18,547,248	875,633	17,987,595	779,792	27,385,201	1,239,639
Coal ... tons	2,558,366	1,347,237	1,582,336	838,809	1,701,434	909,055
Copper, Ingots, & Matte	.....	1,051,825	.....	1,125,073	.....	1,365,424
Gold—Coined and Uncoined...	.....	3,562,481	.....	2,142,401	.....	1,549,287
Grain—Wheat... ..	248,135	92,621	1,913,052	684,901	6,696,971	2,381,142
Flour	354,331	170,382	433,151	231,227	579,923	266,722
Leather ... ..	.....	296,154	.....	281,561	.....	337,141
Meats—Mutton and Lamb lb.	44,637,492	526,423	56,384,554	551,796	90,729,476	1,007,883
Rabbits & Hares prs.	5,758,847	247,525	7,172,150	329,020	8,007,068	406,762
Oil—Cocoanut ... cwt.	79,216	105,392	90,243	123,423	105,069	192,145
Ores ... ..	.....	185,034	.....	191,272	.....	473,548
Skins—Hides ... ..	.....	207,625	.....	261,410	.....	245,669
Sheep	2,456,809	287,595	3,680,847	395,674	3,488,622	437,245
Rabbit and Hare lb.	3,029,958	139,527	3,135,800	160,372	5,650,400	329,616
Other ... ..	.....	251,374	.....	441,608	.....	589,841
Silver, Lead, Concentrates, &c.	.....	2,126,945	.....	1,572,392	.....	1,250,693
Tallow	314,806	429,599	530,667	697,566	648,031	976,335
Timber ... ..	.....	395,781	.....	259,096	.....	264,211
Tin, Ingots	76,185	502,995	73,529	496,684	55,170	428,018
Wool—Greasy and Scoured lb.	277,012,467	11,859,183	292,751,777	12,148,346	332,495,839	14,242,386
All other Articles ... ..	.....	2,205,807	.....	2,272,131	.....	3,059,965
Total	£	26,880,709	.....	26,044,789	.....	32,035,451

No. 9.—Trade.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.		
	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1900 ...	10,164,080	17,396,991	27,561,071	9,979,214	18,185,302	28,164,516
1901 ...	9,368,011	17,560,207	26,928,218	9,140,497	18,210,625	27,351,122
1902 ...	10,949,675	15,024,535	25,974,210	7,568,922	15,975,129	23,544,051
1903 ...	12,792,252	13,977,917	26,770,169	7,876,898	18,941,161	26,818,059
1904 ...	14,152,101	13,133,857	27,285,958	9,918,050	23,086,484	33,004,534
1905 ...	14,938,885	14,485,123	29,424,008	12,263,472	24,518,534	36,782,006
1906 ...	17,061,860	17,603,503	34,665,363	14,651,156	30,986,888	45,638,044
1907 ...	18,595,804	20,860,391	39,456,195	15,880,905	32,894,073	48,774,978
1908 ...	17,814,260	19,828,486	37,642,746	14,105,050	26,880,709	40,985,759
1909 ...	17,146,943	20,888,019	38,034,962	15,792,608	26,044,789	41,837,397
1910 ...	*12,623,428	23,238,993	†	†10,307,115	32,035,451	†

* Information 1st January to 13th September inclusive.

† Not available.

‡ Information 1st January

to 13th September inclusive.

No. 10.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Imports—Monthly.

Month.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
January ...	1,438,928	1,679,245	1,630,521	1,594,389	1,905,253	(+) 310,864
February ...	1,625,635	1,680,664	1,581,509	1,787,707	2,213,755	(+) 426,048
March ...	1,358,007	1,626,120	1,850,828	1,981,837	2,301,521	(+) 319,684
April ...	1,673,877	1,396,944	1,239,169	1,803,904	1,983,256	(+) 179,352
May ...	1,813,612	1,244,709	1,721,093	1,566,569	2,315,784	(+) 749,215
June ...	1,463,021	1,626,773	1,543,617	1,494,842	1,883,918	(+) 389,076
July ...	1,917,710	1,958,340	1,696,543	2,234,587	2,731,447	(+) 496,860
August ...	1,643,481	1,865,306	1,914,908	2,340,584	2,627,206	(+) 286,622
September ...	2,180,649	1,696,342	1,794,252	2,232,402	2,280,737	(+) 48,335
October ...	1,832,102	1,605,587	1,684,483	2,036,380	2,266,024	(+) 229,644
Total (10 m'ths.)	16,947,022	16,380,030	16,656,923	19,073,201	22,508,901	(+) 3,435,700

No. 11.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Exports—Monthly.

Month.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
January ...	3,486,107	1,452,638	2,676,430	2,452,633	1,820,848	(-) 631,785
February ...	3,193,924	3,105,116	2,333,048	3,400,540	3,193,044	(-) 207,496
March ...	3,383,427	2,250,788	2,425,668	3,044,957	2,946,562	(-) 98,395
April ...	2,002,802	1,698,615	1,036,389	2,068,665	1,896,870	(-) 171,795
May ...	1,862,384	1,625,290	1,566,581	1,893,630	1,728,681	(-) 164,949
June ...	1,927,063	1,712,681	1,179,175	1,739,692	1,530,393	(-) 209,299
July ...	1,609,860	1,570,784	1,367,072	1,503,556	1,614,137	(+) 110,581
August ...	1,792,539	1,591,680	1,657,151	2,023,266	2,025,718	(+) 2,452
September ...	2,369,518	2,300,867	1,946,938	2,280,250	3,096,725	(+) 816,475
October ...	3,737,952	2,701,501	3,035,309	3,872,014	3,733,617	(-) 138,397
Total (10 m'ths.)	25,364,676	20,009,960	19,223,761	24,279,203	23,586,595	(-) 692,608

No. 12.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea during October, and during the ten months January to October.

Article.	1911.				1910.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.
October.								
Animals—Horses ... No.	228	237	£ 3,801	£ 9,301	369	369	£ 11,736	£ 11,
Butter lb.	2,074,680	2,074,680	121,168	121,168	1,943,718	1,943,718	95,428	95,
Coal ton	154,391	154,391	81,645	81,645	139,546	139,546	74,758	74,
Copper, Ingots & Matte cwt.	62,716	62,716	177,356	177,356	47,237	47,237	125,900	125,
Fruits—Fresh cntl.	7,852	7,884	5,311	5,349	6,178	6,197	4,724	4,
Gold—Coined, Uncoined	.....	.....	713,874	713,874	.....	.....	91,491	91,
Grain—Wheat... .. cntl.	334,984	334,984	100,538	100,538	251,563	251,563	85,643	85,
Flour „	65,330	65,330	27,381	27,381	48,912	48,912	21,794	21,
Lead cwt.	109,375	109,375	71,284	71,284	128,336	128,336	74,575	74,
Leather ... ..	.....	.....	26,064	26,920	.....	.....	33,534	33,
Meats—Beef lb.	135,894	135,894	1,909	1,909	201,872	201,872	2,183	2,
Mutton & Lamb „	6,955,795	6,955,795	84,747	84,747	9,044,417	9,044,417	99,390	99,
Rabbits & Hares pair	234,553	234,553	11,268	11,268	403,134	403,134	20,202	20,
Meat—Preserved ... lb.	1,423,206	1,424,094	29,073	29,118	1,583,528	1,586,435	28,591	28,
Oil—Cocanut cwt.	3,106	3,106	5,859	5,859	12,362	12,362	22,909	22,
Ores, Spelter, &c. ....	.....	.....	108,741	108,756	.....	.....	111,199	111,
Silver Bullion oz.	279,561	279,561	26,102	26,102	235,009	235,009	22,577	22,
Skins—Hides No.	24,043	24,043	27,503	27,503	24,310	24,310	25,215	25,
Sheep „	155,298	155,298	26,453	26,453	337,427	337,427	65,517	65,
Rabbit & Hare... lb.	535,520	535,520	28,764	28,764	509,429	509,429	30,413	30,
Other ... ..	.....	.....	55,875	55,875	.....	.....	89,610	89,
Tallow cwt.	59,973	59,998	86,602	86,639	59,305	59,324	94,453	94,
Timber ... ..	.....	.....	18,478	19,745	.....	.....	18,684	20,
Tin, Ingots, &c. cwt.	2,947	2,947	26,572	26,572	6,642	6,642	52,549	52,
Wine gal.	7,919	8,042	1,597	1,694	8,999	9,215	1,648	1,
Wool lb.	45,593,026	45,593,026	1,697,417	1,697,417	59,719,074	59,719,074	2,367,714	2,367,
Other Articles ... ..	.....	.....	83,940	160,380	.....	.....	93,298	195,
Total ... .. £	.....	.....	3,649,331	3,733,617	.....	.....	3,765,735	3,872,
January to October.								
Animals—Horses ... No.	1,571	1,620	43,128	52,609	1,453	1,459	47,173	51,
Butter lb.	25,038,807	25,038,807	1,094,188	1,094,188	19,536,537	19,579,745	880,382	882,
Coal ton	1,365,994	1,365,994	728,232	728,232	1,248,212	1,349,462	719,905	720,
Copper, Ingots & Matte cwt.	453,342	453,342	1,283,156	1,283,156	384,971	384,971	1,089,086	1,089,
Fruits—Fresh cntl.	53,241	53,484	36,837	37,080	49,664	50,706	35,283	36,
Gold—Coined, Uncoined	.....	.....	2,606,185	2,606,185	.....	.....	1,304,929	1,304,
Grain—Wheat... .. cntl.	6,476,930	6,476,930	1,903,875	1,903,875	6,145,179	6,145,179	2,200,015	2,200,
Flour „	667,840	667,854	276,589	276,597	457,651	457,651	217,039	217,
Lead cwt.	1,288,789	1,288,789	793,764	793,764	1,261,924	1,261,249	740,787	741,
Leather... ..	.....	.....	239,919	253,145	.....	.....	258,089	269,
Meats—Beef lb.	7,252,803	7,252,803	63,258	63,258	7,849,407	7,849,407	87,371	87,
Mutton & Lamb „	46,381,833	46,381,833	531,093	531,093	63,130,676	63,130,676	697,633	697,
Rabbits & Hares pair	6,442,747	6,442,747	311,773	311,773	7,525,933	7,525,933	381,174	381,
Meat—Preserved ... lb.	18,545,279	18,572,723	362,723	363,760	14,804,116	14,815,874	269,407	269,
Oil—Cocanut... .. cwt.	81,517	81,539	142,242	142,293	91,721	91,721	165,019	165,
Ores, Spelter, &c. ....	.....	.....	786,908	787,158	.....	.....	618,539	618,
Silver Bullion oz.	1,798,373	1,798,373	173,222	173,222	1,951,053	1,951,053	188,916	188,
Skins—Hides No.	271,291	261,299	279,142	279,155	179,999	180,099	194,916	195,
Sheep „	1,909,864	1,909,864	197,472	197,472	2,767,555	2,767,555	340,734	340,
Rabbit & Hare... lb.	5,285,302	5,285,302	271,698	271,698	5,297,244	5,298,426	312,242	312,
Other ... ..	.....	.....	280,240	280,335	.....	.....	503,133	503,
Tallow cwt.	507,772	508,252	723,399	724,119	516,495	516,920	767,977	768,
Timber ... ..	.....	.....	229,115	243,341	.....	.....	197,637	215,
Tin, Ingots, &c. cwt.	39,675	39,675	362,808	362,808	43,740	43,740	332,985	332,
Wine gal.	59,792	62,070	15,379	16,854	28,797	30,773	8,283	9,
Wool lb.	195,264,749	195,264,749	8,032,251	8,032,251	225,680,632	225,683,432	9,877,373	9,877,
Other Articles ... ..	.....	.....	871,384	1,777,174	.....	.....	891,031	1,801,
Total ... .. £	.....	.....	22,639,980	23,586,595	.....	.....	23,327,052	24,279,

NOTE.—The difference between the value of Australian produce exported and the total export represents the value of produce of overseas origin re-exported.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea during October, and during the ten months January to October.

Article.	October.			January to October.		
	1909.	1910.	1911.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer ...	12,250	10,911	8,875	114,022	106,931	139,034
Apparel and Soft Goods ...	332,372	378,166	418,190	3,968,040	4,736,582	5,029,220
Boots and Shoes ...	7,179	12,284	11,144	89,157	130,801	131,964
Confectionery ...	3,917	4,243	4,728	33,377	32,447	101,005
Cordage and Twines ...	34,865	31,889	25,008	225,901	219,379	259,570
Fish—all Kinds ...	9,837	12,718	12,485	113,847	117,302	156,109
Fruits—Fresh ...	8,539	4,526	16,343	76,793	39,218	99,726
Gold—Coined and Uncoined...	39,895	10,698	106,871	490,058	395,617	926,816
Hats and Caps ...	10,839	16,232	11,266	100,555	127,571	135,958
Implements—Agricultural ...	12,978	20,733	17,810	102,440	164,921	167,385
Iron and Steel—Bar, Rod, &c..	28,314	39,546	44,201	284,533	374,071	434,014
Do Galvd. Sheet...	36,633	34,408	34,971	398,919	431,596	425,401
Leather... ..	19,460	15,763	12,896	149,934	120,150	110,752
Machines and Machinery ...	138,251	143,988	142,729	1,205,794	1,117,029	1,403,834
Metal Manufactures—						
Dutiable	44,209	74,595	84,845	404,964	515,395	684,914
Free... ..	42,915	68,991	85,652	592,544	637,928	758,850
Milk—Preserved	5,729	6,435	3,519	59,524	50,619	42,387
Oil—Kerosene	21,493	18,142	5,646	105,781	138,664	106,153
Spirits	37,870	57,739	47,244	339,444	395,882	414,832
Sugar	26,225	10,792	58,403	277,232	206,798	259,786
Tea	37,194	56,353	46,437	391,763	487,706	481,816
Timber	74,431	73,748	123,707	631,937	673,713	1,002,197
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	28,250	35,758	21,788	193,124	291,971	359,476
Wine	1,087	1,516	636	9,766	14,392	13,311
Other articles	678,751	896,206	920,599	6,237,474	7,546,518	8,867,191
Total	1,684,483	2,036,380	2,266,024	16,656,923	19,073,201	22,508,901

No. 14.—Staple Produce Exported Oversea each Month.

Month.	Wool.	Wheat and Flour.	Butter.	Gold (coined and uncoined).	Lead and Silver-lead.	Copper.	Coal.
1910.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
January	1,122,574	409,266	148,527	145,061	23,725	51,292	2,496
February... ..	2,078,587	429,314	148,331	159,218	50,439	44,734	333
March	1,548,569	412,553	207,956	96,018	64,000	125,131	39,416
April	605,884	325,192	127,184	301,020	89,489	110,730	121,925
May	363,414	196,678	32,576	106,674	84,877	129,688	138,464
June	407,752	42,407	7,717	201,700	83,852	143,899	82,463
July	331,402	53,998	47,733	71,008	71,053	102,942	74,278
August	430,741	141,708	56,641	134,069	115,054	128,401	104,393
September ...	620,736	298,501	51,289	219,635	83,723	120,369	81,379
October	2,367,714	107,437	95,428	91,491	74,575	125,900	74,758
November ...	2,271,414	128,505	123,879	101,156	118,020	133,218	93,966
December ...	2,093,503	102,305	233,701	148,004	109,344	141,738	96,290
1911.							
January	511,642	293,327	206,349	65,568	55,911	78,585	70,654
February... ..	1,754,248	351,827	202,183	60,788	38,061	135,963	62,151
March	1,109,815	485,783	255,318	121,632	91,896	129,077	47,868
April	481,430	264,517	133,803	190,071	77,528	127,340	77,777
May	380,200	103,810	43,138	211,316	91,636	132,449	91,401
June	294,143	121,402	69,432	169,560	76,108	102,532	69,514
July	208,453	116,478	13,132	177,083	89,633	140,007	55,666
August	465,195	136,440	17,377	265,386	100,772	117,452	96,220
September ...	1,129,708	178,961	32,288	630,907	100,935	142,395	75,336
October	1,697,417	127,919	121,168	713,874	71,284	177,356	81,645

No. 15.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during October, 1911.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article.	Oversea.†		Interstate.			State.	
	Quantity.	Measurement.	Quantity.	Measurement.	Value.	Quantity.	Measurement.
		tons.		tons.	£		tons.
Agricultural Implements	tons	6	460	39	798	19,701	.....
Ale, Beer, and Stout	...	.....	832	.....	100	1,110	.....
Animals—Horses	No.	311	.....	78	...	4,975	126
Horned Cattle	"	1	.....	1	...	120	131
Calves	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	878
Pigs	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,237	...
Bacon and Hams	tons	.....	2	.....	89	4,807	16
Bananas	bchs.	39,018	.....	835	...	138	300
"	cases	1,770	.....	29	...	15	41
Boots, Shoes, &c.	tons	.....	125	.....	234	17,796	.....
Bullion—Gold and Silver	cwt.	22½ cwt.	.....	18¼ cwt.	...	76,848	27 lb.
Butter	tons	.....	.....	.....	27	2,259	.....
Cement	"	1,104	2	...	...	.....	.....
Candles, tapers, nightlights	...	.....	23	.....	11	349	.....
Chaff	tons	.....	.....	1,903	...	8,055	1
Cheese	"	.....	14	.....	18	736	239
Coal	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	51,867	...
" (bunker)	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	78,712	...
Confectionery	...	.....	312	...	124	2,854	.....
Cordage, rope, twine, &c.	tons	2	96	56	61	3,969	.....
Drapery	"	.....	3,810	.....	793	48,777	.....
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals..	"	148	604	13	41	2,467	16
Earthenware	"	.....	728	.....	218	1,385	.....
Eggs (in shell)	...	.....	.....	.....	147	2,152	.....
Fish, fresh or frozen	...	.....	23	.....	22	324	.....
Oysters, fresh or other	...	.....	.....	9	...	247	.....
Flour	tons	.....	.....	40	...	468	.....
Fruit, fresh	cases	7,383	.....	81,851	...	23,053	14,985
Furniture	tons	.....	548	.....	149	1,811	.....
Glass and Glassware	"	100	1,435	17	60	500	.....
Grain—Maize	"	29	.....	701	...	4,873	2,722
Oats	"	.....	.....	1,056	...	7,677	.....
Hardware	"	1,922	2,407	121	185	8,022	27
Hay	"	2	.....	63	...	306	1,163
Hides and Skins...	"	7	138	51	831	43,381	.....
Iron—Galvanized	"	1,808	.....	4	...	70	.....
Pig	"	876	.....	5	...	42	.....
Jams and Jellies	"	.....	41	.....	248	5,217	.....
Leatherware	"	.....	144	.....	106	12,902	.....
Machinery and Machines	...	537	2,267	66	311	14,182	7
Matches and Match-making Materials..	...	.....	179	.....	69	2,646	.....
Milk and Cream, preserved	...	.....	118	.....	56	1,327	.....
Molasses and Syrup	tons	.....	.....	66	60	1,397	635
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes	No.	.....	.....	66,621	...	876	123
Onions	tons	.....	.....	826	...	3,147	.....
Oilmen's Stores	"	67	708	2	101	3,271	.....
Potatoes	"	17	1	1,317	...	7,388	21
Saddlery	"	7	34	.....	4	394	.....
Soap	"	.....	17	.....	55	1,254	1
Specie	cwt.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Spirits—Brandy...	tons	.....	99	.....	66	6,293	.....
Gin	"	.....	106	.....	5	344	.....
Rum	"	.....	13	.....	46	5,088	.....
Whisky...	"	.....	510	.....	19	1,741	.....
Sugar	"	2,893	.....	12,038	...	172,620	4,771
Tea	"	.....	1,729	.....	38	1,173	.....
Timber—Sawn*	sup. ft.	15,266,856	.....	476,399	...	4,838	3,834,613
Rough*	"	948,044	.....	480,136	...	5,008	921,766
Tobacco, Cigars, &c.	tons	.....	669	.....	48	12,420	.....
Vegetables, fresh	"	.....	.....	135	...	375	215
Waters, Cordials, &c.	"	.....	36	.....	85	1,337	.....
Wines	"	.....	70	.....	170	3,658	28
Woodware	"	1	693	.....	49	488	.....
Wool—Bales and Butts...	No.	.....	.....	4,097	...	57,243	13,962
Tags	"	11	.....	.....	...	262	.....
Woollens	tons	.....	326	.....	8	737	.....
All other Articles	"	32,205	26,954	3,739	3,460	126,579	7,363
Total	.....	.....	46,273	.....	8,912	743,230	6,351

* Subject to adjustment.

† The total oversea imports were valued at £2,193,911.

No. 16.—Shipping—all Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department.)

Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Tonnage Entered.		Tonnage Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.	Steam.	Sailing.
1900	2,784	4,014,755	2,714	3,855,748	3,206,657	808,098	3,140,449	715,299
1901	2,760	4,133,200	2,853	4,274,101	3,460,193	673,007	3,513,265	760,836
1902	2,888	4,367,739	2,835	4,325,480	3,704,268	663,471	3,680,850	644,630
1903	2,953	4,463,648	3,007	4,466,916	3,683,142	780,506	3,649,600	817,316
1904	2,718	4,419,179	2,767	4,460,014	3,769,303	649,876	3,745,584	714,430
1905	2,725	4,697,511	2,694	4,684,108	4,051,884	645,627	4,042,703	641,405
1906	2,893	5,283,719	2,883	5,275,031	4,659,821	623,898	4,658,235	616,796
1907	3,238	6,070,953	3,205	6,009,282	5,257,019	813,934	5,228,469	780,813
1908	3,196	6,298,784	3,219	6,303,125	5,822,060	476,724	5,737,747	565,378
1909	2,861	5,870,034	2,767	5,689,426	5,388,231	481,803	5,254,376	435,050
1910	2,937	6,290,119	3,035	6,471,855	5,892,049	398,070	6,047,832	424,023
Jan.-Oct., 1911	2,615	5,650,371	2,602	5,553,710	5,330,162	320,209	5,222,401	331,309
„ 1910	2,377	5,077,568	2,467	4,988,890	4,754,576	322,992	4,620,883	368,007
October, 1911...	314	684,053	282	614,992	654,771	29,282	588,288	26,704
„ 1910...	273	608,725	264	596,511	587,431	21,294	579,401	17,110

NOTE.—The shipping recorded in the above table is “Oversea” and “Interstate” only.

No. 17.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1906	Steam ...	2,284	6,508	8,792	4,667,078	1,524,438	6,191,516
	Sailing ...	272	1,216	1,488	273,952	156,619	427,571
1907	Steam ...	2,456	6,589	9,045	5,105,343	1,553,200	6,658,543
	Sailing ...	318	1,011	1,329	377,080	134,516	511,596
1908	Steam ...	2,460	6,469	8,929	5,205,883	1,596,569	6,802,452
	Sailing ...	190	904	1,094	169,339	135,783	305,122
1909	Steam ...	2,314	5,713	8,027	5,148,293	1,483,635	6,631,928
	Sailing ...	193	724	917	171,638	97,491	269,129
1910	Steam ...	2,292	5,700	7,992	5,398,910	1,474,145	6,873,055
	Sailing ...	173	679	852	174,789	89,464	264,253
Jan.-Oct., 1911	Steam ...	1,978	5,054	7,032	4,835,121	1,358,507	6,193,628
	Sailing ...	139	416	555	125,286	64,903	190,189
„ 1910	Steam ...	1,862	4,674	6,536	4,361,629	1,204,151	5,565,780
	Sailing ...	139	558	697	132,697	72,830	205,527
October, 1911 ...	Steam ...	237	556	793	587,095	138,342	725,437
	Sailing ...	13	45	58	9,511	7,448	16,959
„ 1910...	Steam ...	235	510	745	536,522	140,760	677,282
	Sailing ...	17	55	72	14,922	8,903	23,825

NOTE.—“Oversea and Interstate” shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, which return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

No. 18.—Trade with Principal Countries.

Country.	1885.	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.	1909.	1910.
Imports.							
Australian States	£ 7,595,806	£ 10,049,648	£ 6,758,140	£ 10,164,080	£ 14,938,885	£ 17,146,943	£ 12,623,428*
Oversea—							
United Kingdom	11,985,597	8,628,007	6,420,107	9,923,117	8,602,288	12,333,869	14,385,633
Canada...	.....	18,784	61,742	114,321	73,443	330,651	356,593
Fiji	192,540	99,853	27,890	60,831	43,232	345,832	161,894
Hong Kong	340,181	271,730	181,529	67,928	89,351	114,356	95,450
India and Ceylon	134,901	239,070	306,932	601,741	717,948	990,938	1,135,359
New Zealand	899,625	932,073	563,528	1,348,605	1,369,001	1,213,082	1,180,011
Cape Colony	290	55	34	1,013	5,254	58,810	12,950
Straits Settlements	40,913	27,148	14,074	40,391	82,830	86,970	132,245
Other British	109,850	6,685	18,820	118,929	67,167	180,999	165,856
Belgium	195,318	130,819	150,288	147,661	222,994	463,582	555,298
China	303,595	241,840	133,870	190,456	28,631	11,906	38,720
France	345,231	117,871	76,663	270,084	138,028	142,768	166,986
Germany	372,557	639,475	425,697	1,105,664	864,289	1,120,180	1,288,574
Italy	1,311	23,961	39,563	92,732	73,757	117,436	129,246
Japan	1,242	22,040	28,179	122,041	145,257	270,984	335,320
New Caledonia	82,181	83,920	28,345	28,509	18,399	33,234	39,242
Philippine Islands	715	4,414	15,211	49,240	27,854	29,096	37,492
South Sea Islands	36,929	40,214	54,436	107,488	103,142	132,542	164,530
United States	1,008,572	859,102	624,268	2,557,961	1,636,069	2,014,962	2,150,953
Other Foreign	90,095	178,295	63,099	448,279	176,189	895,822	706,641
Total, Oversea	16,141,655	12,565,356	9,234,275	17,396,991	14,485,123	20,888,017	23,238,993
Total, Imports	23,737,461	22,615,004	15,992,415	27,561,071	29,424,008	38,034,962	.....
Exports.							
Australian States	6,567,084	10,990,593	7,104,812	9,979,190	12,263,472	5,792,608	10,307,115†
Oversea—							
United Kingdom	7,293,133	6,623,431	9,371,418	8,273,272	10,222,422	10,384,438	13,318,099
Canada	.....	10	16,804	66,403	41,520	67,495	76,866
Fiji	128,643	98,951	86,420	183,579	245,152	325,523	410,926
Hong Kong	246,032	255,050	141,976	218,986	424,460	377,441	414,042
India and Ceylon	130,597	257,360	56,462	174,296	1,330,189	355,191	187,128
New Zealand	399,055	294,138	486,173	826,662	934,661	1,087,400	1,319,358
Cape Colony	.....	1,014	3,266	755,487	371,727	133,421	135,603
Straits Settlements	29,190	34,347	24,507	39,898	95,995	215,414	246,513
Other British	30,318	27,469	31,268	49,586	89,969	203,096	290,951
Belgium	399,549	1,011,846	780,826	620,349	1,787,163	2,113,515	2,970,187
China	21,114	1,037	7,943	68,004	318,159	54,672	64,192
France	142,104	233,924	1,436,122	1,024,300	3,570,246	3,214,817	4,232,137
Germany	29,511	404,280	1,141,661	844,504	2,771,396	4,150,803	4,934,474
Italy	1,769	24,498	63,509	61,132	176,770	105,353	234,419
Japan	2,758	7,156	54,242	133,989	377,451	833,992	524,598
New Caledonia	153,094	193,396	71,344	179,761	135,446	97,081	115,458
Philippine Islands	.....	16,410	18,603	88,043	183,853	240,579	226,134
South Sea Islands	68,854	45,290	68,713	126,834	141,381	191,289	214,651
United States	985,531	1,300,375	683,606	3,981,242	602,145	1,063,677	865,326
Other Foreign	151,771	225,362	285,110	468,999	698,429	829,592	1,254,389
Total, Oversea	10,183,023	11,055,344	14,829,973	18,185,326	24,518,534	26,044,789	32,035,451
Total, Exports	16,750,107	22,045,937	21,934,785	28,164,516	36,782,006	41,837,397	.....

* Imports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive.

† Exports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive.

No. 19.—State Revenue, October, and four months, July to October.

(Advances recovered are not included.)

Source of Revenue.	October.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to October.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1910.	1911.		1910-11.	1911-12.	
Governmental—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Returns	232,626	167,460	(-) 65,166	801,363	669,840	(-) 131,523
Taxation (by State)	71,132	54,986	(-) 16,146	274,462	363,342	88,880
Public Lands	120,953	127,538	6,585	535,796	528,332	(-) 7,464
All other sources	58,298	66,901	8,603	230,196	260,496	30,300
Gross Total	483,009	416,885	(-) 66,124	1,841,817	1,822,010	(-) 19,807
Refunds	9,384	7,438	(-) 1,946	27,844	36,820	8,976
Net Total	473,625	409,447	(-) 64,178	1,813,973	1,785,190	(-) 28,783
Business Undertakings by State—						
Railways and Tramways	700,734	750,568	49,834	2,393,838	2,546,081	152,243
Other	117,076	139,247	22,171	315,341	344,246	28,905
Gross Total	817,810	889,815	72,005	2,709,179	2,890,327	181,148
Refunds	4,636	3,705	(-) 871	20,407	21,711	1,304
Net Total	813,174	886,050	72,876	2,688,772	2,868,616	179,844
Gross Revenue and Receipts proper	1,300,819	1,306,700	5,881	4,550,996	4,712,337	161,341
Net Revenue and Receipts proper	£ 1,286,799	1,295,497	8,698	4,502,745	4,653,806	151,061

No. 20.—State Expenditure, October, and four months, July to October.

(Transfers and Advances are not included.)

Distribution of Expenditure.	October.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to October.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1910.	1911.		1910-11.	1911-12.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental	438,278	487,889	49,611	1,711,857	1,740,106	28,249
Business Undertakings	401,424	496,201	94,777	1,647,878	1,867,539	219,661
Interest	524,524	519,983	(-) 4,541	1,651,286	1,713,433	62,147
Sinking Fund and Redemptions ... ..	.....	.....	.....	137,500	137,500	.....
Total Expenditure...	£ 1,364,226	1,504,073	139,847	5,148,521	5,458,578	310,057

No. 21.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Account, four months, July to October.

Particulars.	1910-11.		1911-12.	
	£		£	
Balance on 1st July	Cr. 989,707		Cr. 401,505	
Revenue proper—Governmental	1,813,973*		1,785,190*	
Business Undertakings	2,678,772*		2,868,616*	
Other Receipts	62,153		40,767	
Total Receipts	£ 4,550,573		4,990,973	
Expenditure proper—Governmental	1,711,857†		1,740,106†	
Business Undertakings	1,647,878†		1,867,539†	
Interest	1,651,286		1,713,433	
Sinking Fund Contributions	137,500		137,500	
Sydney Harbour Trust Sinking Fund ... ..	.....		.....
Transfer to Closer Settlement Account ... ..	.....		.....
Transfer to Public Works Account... ..	.....		.....
Other Payments	647,345		348,745	
Total Payments	£ 5,795,866		5,807,323	
Balance on 31st October	£ Dr. 240,961		Dr. 711,245	

* As per Table No. 19. † As per Table No. 20.

NOTE.—The balance of Consolidated Revenue Fund includes payments in anticipation of the passing of Loan Votes.

No. 22.—State Revenue—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1911-12.			1910-11.			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	493,791	555,453	1,049,244	287,461	500,750	788,211	(+) 261,033
August	478,049	657,727	1,135,776	714,735	625,743	1,340,478	(-) 204,702
September	403,903	769,386	1,173,289	338,152	749,105	1,087,257	(+) 86,032
October... ..	409,447	886,050	1,295,497	473,625	813,174	1,286,799	(+) 8,698
Total (4 months) ...	1,785,190	2,868,616	4,653,806	1,813,973	2,688,772	4,502,745	(+) 151,061

No. 23.—State Expenditure—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1911-12.			1910-11.			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
July	727,705	531,277	1,258,982	698,498	446,146	1,144,644	(+) 114,338
August	601,040	402,433	1,003,473	598,425	396,131	994,556	(+) 8,917
September	1,254,422	437,628	1,692,050	1,240,918	404,177	1,645,095	(+) 46,955
October... ..	1,007,872	496,201	1,504,073	962,802	401,424	1,364,226	(+) 139,847
Total (4 months) ...	3,591,039	1,867,539	5,458,578	3,500,643	1,647,878	5,148,521	(+) 310,057

No. 24.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans.

Year ended 30th June.	Public Debt at end of Year.	Expenditure from Loans during Year.				
		Reproductive Works.			* Other Works and Services.	Total.
		Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Resumptions).		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	67,361,246	1,085,747	532,691	505,199	661,392	2,785,029
1902	71,592,485	2,243,672	486,205	1,698,387	510,977	4,939,241
1903	77,692,987	1,683,755	554,581	2,017,346	457,704	4,713,386
1904	80,033,581	805,520	315,305	879,213	288,704	2,288,742
1905	82,321,998	501,710	242,771	465,712	361,064	1,571,257
1906	85,641,734	529,251	365,442	256,780	215,549	1,367,022
1907	85,607,832	421,742	325,908	172,361	174,227	1,094,238
1908	87,635,826	1,363,314	370,819	138,561	92,635	1,965,329
1909	90,307,419	2,127,633	617,589	114,095	47,190	2,906,507
1910	92,525,095	2,471,284	578,111	158,732	38,513	3,246,640
1911	95,523,926	2,547,672	730,819	234,213	409,054	3,921,758

NOTE.—Redemptions of loans are not included in the Expenditure, nor are repayments to credit of votes.

No. 25.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1905-11.

	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance brought forward ...	Dr. 336,890	Cr. 896,124	Cr. 1,471,344	Cr. 1,676,924	Cr. 637,678	Cr. 989,707
Net Revenue Proper ...	12,283,082	13,392,435	13,960,763	13,625,071	14,540,073	13,839,139
Advances Repaid ...	8,285	14,108	35,102	62,204	42,342	43,346
Proceeds of Treasury Bills ...	336,890	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(A) Total Receipts for year ..	12,628,257	13,406,543	13,995,865	13,687,275	14,582,415	13,882,485
Net Expenditure Proper ...	11,386,864	11,881,746	12,095,593	12,882,607	13,042,445	13,807,538
Advances (Treasurer's Advance Account and State Children's Relief) ...	8,379	31,526	90,213	34,353	41,764	26,996
Public Works Fund—Statutory payment of $\frac{2}{3}$ of Proceeds of Sale of Crown lands, less 20 per cent. ...	.....	*368,051	†754,479	359,561	336,177	386,153
(B) Total Disbursements for year ...	11,395,243	12,281,323	12,940,285	13,276,521	13,420,386	14,220,687
Surplus on Transactions of year—(A)—(B) ...	1,233,014	1,125,220	1,055,580	410,754	1,162,029	(—)338,202
Payments from Surplus—						
Public Works Fund ...	.....	350,000	650,000	450,000	575,000	250,000
Closer Settlement Fund .....	.....	200,000	200,000	1,000,000	235,000	.....
Total ...	.....	550,000	850,000	1,450,000	810,000	250,000

* Amount due for 1905-6.

† £408,409 due for 1906-7, and £316,070 for 1907-8.

(—) Denotes deficiency.

No. 26.—Commonwealth Revenue collected in State.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation.			Posts and Telegraphs.	Other Revenue.	Total
	Customs.	Excise.	Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
*1901 ...	820,012	198,996	1,019,008	276,936	1,019	1,296,963
1902 ...	2,323,999	488,732	2,812,731	873,312	8,223	3,694,266
1903 ...	2,861,710	617,032	3,478,742	906,798	5,479	4,391,019
1904 ...	2,604,048	625,738	3,229,786	941,529	5,075	4,176,390
1905 ...	2,390,735	642,882	3,033,617	980,151	7,542	4,021,310
1906 ...	2,563,552	670,370	3,233,922	1,065,633	15,275	4,314,830
1907 ...	2,845,786	727,527	3,573,313	1,191,489	17,320	4,782,122
1908 ...	3,672,146	842,590	4,514,736	1,277,439	23,655	5,815,830
1909 ...	3,465,922	797,756	4,263,678	1,319,698	38,329	5,621,705
1910 ...	3,789,467	706,035	4,495,502	1,437,437	83,721	6,016,660

* Half-year ended 30th June.

No. 27.—Commonwealth Expenditure in State.

Year ended 30th June.	New Expenditure.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Naval and Military.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
*1901 ...	47,605	29,006	262,036	70,744	...	409,391
1902 ...	99,252	63,450	840,685	309,146	...	1,312,533
1903 ...	114,131	70,438	890,203	268,146	10	1,342,928
1904 ...	167,043	69,188	950,108	298,756	...	1,485,095
1905 ...	169,085	69,451	942,905	311,230	...	1,492,671
1906 ...	187,340	73,431	984,371	327,734	25	1,572,901
1907 ...	283,184	74,810	1,049,120	349,493	378	1,756,985
1908 ...	†463,102	84,186	1,188,300	447,256	15,620	2,198,464
1909 ...	§570,009	87,988	1,290,071	344,298	1,716	2,294,082
1910 ...	722,067	84,071	1,375,937	512,320	8,963	2,703,358

* Half-year ended 30th June.

† Includes £210,796 on account of Old-age Pensions and Defence paid to Trust Fund.

§ Includes £159,500 on account of Old-age Pensions paid to Trust Fund.

No. 28.—Net Revenue and Receipts of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1903-4 to 1910-11.

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								1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
Governmental :—															
Taxation—															
Commonwealth—Balance of Revenue collected and re-								£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
turned to State								2,683,417	2,529,070	2,742,770	3,022,351	3,591,371	3,356,158	3,347,616	1,942,245
State								1,100,193	1,114,408	1,297,776	1,381,305	1,077,534	907,249	1,223,521	1,027,519
Land—								£ 3,783,610	3,643,478	4,040,546	4,403,656	4,668,905	4,263,407	4,571,137	2,969,764
Alienations								1,116,061	1,026,594	1,066,741	1,128,768	995,069	998,532	850,363	944,030
Revenue								744,509	734,433	666,333	755,288	789,325	779,470	869,563	892,366
								£ 1,860,570	1,761,027	1,733,074	1,884,056	1,784,394	1,778,002	1,719,926	1,836,396
Receipts for Services rendered								£ 330,930	320,051	370,762	328,501	305,674	310,882	315,443	334,928
Miscellaneous Receipts								£ 330,088	323,414	284,105	342,746	348,475	274,600	366,302	319,603
Total Governmental								£ 6,305,198	6,047,970	6,428,487	6,958,959	7,107,448	6,626,891	6,972,808	5,460,691
Business Undertakings by the State :—															
Railway Commissioners								4,263,744	4,527,368	5,051,953	5,596,428	5,978,060	6,132,918	6,664,236	7,112,127
Sydney Harbour Trust								261,659	253,581	270,689	298,037	327,579	334,694	337,454	374,280
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage								385,793	473,562	492,196	496,794	504,092	486,393	512,615	537,355
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board								31,934	34,437	39,757	42,217	43,584	44,175	52,960	54,686
Total Business Undertakings								£ 4,943,130	5,288,948	5,854,595	6,433,476	6,853,315	6,998,180	7,567,265	8,378,448
Total								11,248,328	11,336,918	12,283,082	13,392,435	13,960,763	13,625,071	14,540,073	13,839,139
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, &c.)								103,867	47,753	8,285	14,108	35,102	*62,204	42,343	43,346
Grand Total								£ 11,352,195	11,384,671	12,291,367	13,406,543	13,995,865	13,687,275	14,582,416	13,882,485

* Inclusive of £10,000 repaid by Commonwealth on account of Money Order business.

No. 29.—Net Expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1903-4 to 1910-11.

	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
Governmental:—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest on Public Debt and on Funds in temporary possession of Government*	831,527	883,236	938,398	907,026	730,043	755,058	807,929	801,754
Old-age and Invalidity Pensions and Administration	531,983	518,656	510,343	515,177	538,131	627,213	†140,228	†49,570
Other Pensions, Retiring Allowances, &c.	†131,096	†170,909	†170,685	†167,947	†205,599	†189,442	†191,896	†161,702
Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, including Electoral Office	22,586	42,048	10,464	20,426	40,966	4,648	||16,183	||35,504
Parliamentary Allowances and Postage	34,746	23,210	29,129	29,503	26,295	31,236	31,337	30,101
Local Government—								
Endowments, &c., to Municipalities	45,480	21,172	18,084	65,805	17,242	7,637	7,763	8,871
" " Shires .. .. .	.....	.....	.....	114,494	169,865	198,136	274,052	286,842
Administration, &c. .. .. .	.....	.....	1,286	12,090	9,980	3,715	**1,125	*.....
Agricultural, Pastoral, and Horticultural Societies	11,410	14,363	8,936	17,390	19,627	18,096	19,611	21,889
Hospitals and Charities§	301,274	312,226	358,295	328,885	330,114	343,961	353,331	††328,905
Lunacy, including Master-in-Lunacy	138,847	128,062	135,367	135,728	144,523	150,559	164,990	††177,486
Public Instruction, including Reformatories and Grants to Educational and Scientific Institutions	913,197	916,071	938,640	946,044	1,038,620	1,088,328	1,145,038	1,207,034
All other Services of the State under the Departments of Chief Secretary, Treasury, Attorney-General and Justice, Lands, Works, Mines and Agriculture	2,722,145	2,546,101	2,585,745	2,542,190	2,350,569	2,473,405	2,509,098	2,638,731
Total Governmental	£ 5,684,291	5,576,054	5,705,372	5,802,705	5,621,574	5,897,434	5,662,581	5,748,389
Business Undertakings by the State:—								
By Railway Commissioners, Sydney Harbour Trust, Metropolitan and Hunter District Boards of Water Supply and Sewerage—								
Working Expenses	3,132,636	3,131,826	3,184,816	3,444,244	3,749,358	4,145,383	4,580,432	5,137,276
Interest on Capitals	†2,133,548	2,167,782	2,136,660	2,229,707	2,318,516	2,360,999	2,374,103	2,512,524
Total Business Undertakings	£ 5,266,184	5,299,608	5,321,476	5,673,951	6,067,874	6,506,382	6,954,535	7,649,800
Sinking Fund Instalments	369,413	319,413	360,016	405,090	406,145	478,791	421,034	409,349
Total Expenditure	11,319,888	11,195,075	11,386,864	11,881,746	12,095,593	12,882,607	13,038,150	13,807,538
Public Works Fund—Transfers in aid .. .. .	.....	.....	.....	718,051	1,404,479	809,561	911,177	636,153
Closer Settlement Fund—Transfers in aid .. .. .	.....	.....	.....	200,000	200,000	1,000,000	235,000	.....
Total Expenditure and Transfers	£ 11,319,888	11,195,075	11,386,864	12,799,797	13,700,072	14,692,168	14,184,327	14,443,691
Advances made	72,015	2,423	8,378	31,526	90,213	34,353	46,059	26,996
Grand Total	£ 11,391,903	11,197,498	11,395,242	12,831,323	13,790,285	14,726,521	14,230,386	14,470,687

* Excludes proportion chargeable to the four corporate bodies. † Includes pensions under Public Service (Superannuation) Act, No. 8 of 1903, 4 per cent. deductions from salaries, being paid to Revenue. ‡ For 1903-4, the interest on capitals is approximate only, as the capital debt of the four corporate bodies was not definitely settled. § Includes expenditure on the Public Works Fund, the Closer Settlement Fund, and the Advances made. ** Excludes salaries which are paid to the four corporate bodies.

No. 30.—Banks—Liabilities.

(Thirteen Banks.*)

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended 31st December.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1900	1,447,641	209,905	12,224,510	20,009,081	32,233,591	78,594	33,969,731
1901	1,499,937	218,943	12,841,599	20,416,857	33,258,456	100,496	35,077,832
1902	1,454,415	208,521	12,587,097	20,472,785	33,059,882	207,610	34,930,428
1903	1,378,642	228,059	12,591,637	19,986,224	32,577,861	65,979	34,250,541
1904	1,345,934	196,995	12,642,715	20,638,560	33,281,275	77,028	34,901,232
1905	1,430,335	218,555	14,859,427	22,211,627	37,071,054	140,118	38,860,062
1906	1,564,670	313,946	16,834,690	22,585,802	39,420,492	117,629	41,416,737
1907	1,756,696	263,018	18,729,709	24,034,857	42,764,566	153,186	44,937,466
1908	1,759,020	294,998	17,951,589	25,958,298	43,909,887	176,122	46,140,027
1909	1,758,913	315,916	20,198,450	25,926,547	46,124,997	131,067	48,330,893
1910	2,243,128	370,199	24,068,552	27,824,972	51,893,524	160,237	54,667,088
31 March, 1911 ...	1,862,651	432,776	25,602,555	28,324,471	53,927,026	137,907	56,360,360
30 June, 1911 ...	1,819,180	402,760	25,985,355	29,341,683	55,327,038	206,181	57,755,159
30 Sept., 1911 ...	806,333	402,674	25,968,059	29,678,096	55,646,155	293,840	57,149,002
30 „ 1910 ...	1,886,540	346,763	22,676,977	26,874,221	49,551,198	148,270	51,932,771

No. 31.—Banks—Assets.

(Thirteen Banks.*)

Quarter ended 31st December.	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Australian Notes.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1900	5,933,976	193,050	1,874,099	34,385,388	246,998	403,816	.....	43,036,427
1901	5,814,180	171,545	1,744,664	35,068,787	259,202	379,181	.....	43,437,559
1902	6,329,551	223,172	1,789,902	34,654,744	287,025	346,097	.....	43,630,491
1903	5,824,539	226,307	1,804,956	34,686,452	304,418	318,904	.....	43,165,576
1904	6,175,911	276,446	1,808,266	32,798,708	283,002	264,615	.....	41,606,948
1905	8,624,083	199,177	1,799,231	32,447,659	326,750	297,237	.....	43,694,137
1906	7,247,347	260,016	1,819,417	34,415,596	335,979	379,602	.....	44,457,957
1907	9,342,631	209,454	1,746,940	37,244,216	359,038	443,636	.....	49,345,915
1908	9,350,942	249,924	1,793,518	39,213,472	388,925	431,377	.....	51,428,158
1909	10,521,262	196,489	1,814,351	38,485,738	374,522	522,132	.....	51,914,494
1910	13,527,019	197,266	1,822,997	40,854,690	906,857	675,702	291,747	58,276,278
31 Mar., 1911 ...	14,237,418	217,568	1,865,914	41,174,780	673,637	649,881	1,270,239	60,089,437
30 June, 1911 ...	14,327,999	196,961	1,871,811	42,456,515	664,320	618,467	1,770,751	61,906,824
30 Sept., 1911 ...	14,281,505	183,569	1,883,784	44,878,017	355,110	489,172	2,305,408	64,376,565
30 „ 1910 ...	13,276,030	232,566	1,830,040	39,201,989	532,675	534,984	.....	55,608,284

* From June, 1907, the returns of fourteen banks are shown, the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris being included, and from June, 1910, fifteen banks are included, as the Royal Bank of Australia (Ltd.), commenced operations in April, 1910, while from September, 1910, sixteen banks are included, as the Colonial Bank of Australasia opened a branch in Sydney on 15th September, 1910.

No. 32.—Banks' Exchange Settlements, Sydney.

Year.				Amount.	Year.				Amount.
				£					£
1899 ... ..	...	...	...	146,188,144	1905 ... ..	...	...	...	189,826,381
1900 ... ..	...	...	...	144,080,314	1906 ... ..	...	...	...	220,860,512
1901 ... ..	...	...	...	167,676,707	1907 ... ..	...	...	...	234,169,822
1902 ... ..	...	...	...	178,637,708	1908 ... ..	...	...	...	227,736,243
1903 ... ..	...	...	...	180,961,406	1909 ... ..	...	...	...	240,645,737
1904 ... ..	...	...	...	177,797,335	1910 ... ..	...	...	...	274,343,666
Total, 1st January to 30th October, 1911					...	...	...	...	248,299,542
" " 31st October, 1910					...	...	...	...	222,775,211

No. 33.—Savings Banks.

Year. (31st December.)	Number of Depositors.	Value of Deposits.	Increase in Deposits during Year.	Amount Deposited.	
				Per Depositor.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1900 ...	282,643	10,901,382	831,948	38 11 5	7 19 9
1901 ...	306,311	11,808,710	907,328	38 11 0	8 11 5
1902 ...	323,212	12,425,464	616,754	38 8 10	8 17 1
1903 ...	331,956	12,344,623	(—) 80,841	37 3 9	8 13 3
1904 ...	339,602	12,743,735	399,112	37 10 6	8 15 6
1905 ...	355,714	13,498,252	754,517	37 18 11	9 1 11
1906 ...	392,050	15,320,532	1,822,280	39 1 7	10 3 0
1907 ...	421,928	17,530,157	2,209,625	41 10 11	11 5 9
1908 ...	436,029	18,805,280	1,275,123	43 2 7	11 19 2
1909 ...	460,251	20,150,575	1,345,293	43 15 7	12 10 9
1910 ...	498,658	22,453,923	2,303,349	45 0 7	13 13 10
30 June, 1911...	522,251	23,381,014	927,091*	44 15 5	14 1 9
„ 1910...	478,006	20,823,764	673,189*	43 11 3	12 16 5

* Half-year ended 30th June.

(—) Denotes decrease.

No. 34.—State Railways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Train miles run.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1901 ...	2,846	38,932,781	1,530,578	10,763,697	2 10½	29,261,324
1902 ...	3,026	40,505,073	1,401,317	11,649,059	2 4½	30,885,214
1903 ...	3,139	41,654,977	1,048,594	11,548,338	1 9½	32,384,138
1904 ...	3,281	42,288,517	1,177,473	10,400,503	2 3½	33,792,689
1905 ...	3,281	43,062,550	1,491,869	10,467,886	2 10½	35,158,150
1906 ...	3,390	43,626,063	1,926,407	11,863,682	3 3	37,500,531
1907 ...	3,453	44,700,230	2,209,665	12,949,068	3 5	41,413,084
1908 ...	3,473	45,683,484	2,229,295	14,251,052	3 1½	47,487,030
1909 ...	3,623	47,612,666	2,075,626	15,074,144	2 9	52,051,556
1910 ...	3,643	48,925,348	2,209,306	15,468,026	2 10½	53,644,271
1911 ...	3,761	50,971,894	2,351,144	17,006,697	2 9½	60,919,628
* Sept., 1911	3,793	50,971,894	569,927	4,385,562	2 7½	16,295,798
* „ 1910	3,666	48,925,348	544,029	4,093,116	2 8½	14,147,937

* Quarter ended 30th September.

No. 35.—State Tramways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Tramway miles run.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1901 ...	79	2,194,493	89,203	6,835,926	0 3	93,703,685
1902 ...	104	2,829,363	89,773	9,344,154	0 2½	108,135,111
1903 ...	124	3,371,587	97,869	13,695,630	0 1½	130,405,402
1904 ...	126	3,471,759	129,360	16,387,019	0 2	137,843,513
1905 ...	126	3,637,922	127,887	16,413,762	0 2	139,669,459
1906 ...	126	3,669,096	186,400	16,309,907	0 2½	145,262,779
1907 ...	129	3,669,524	180,754	16,620,434	0 2½	155,017,982
1908 ...	133	3,732,991	202,929	17,521,410	0 2½	172,020,932
1909 ...	151	4,252,731	222,005	18,853,621	0 2½	186,318,738
1910 ...	166	4,668,797	201,981	20,579,386	0 2½	201,151,021
1911 ...	190	5,121,586	221,682	22,541,429	0 2½	230,275,938
* Sept., 1911	190	5,121,586	57,474	5,930,047	0 2½	60,389,874
* „ 1910	175	4,668,797	47,252	5,436,182	0 2	52,175,653

* Quarter ended 30th September.

No. 36.—Area under Crop.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane (area cut).	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	All Crops. *
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1901	1,530,609	206,051	29,383	10,472	466,236	4,534	29,408	2,445,564
1902	1,392,070	167,333	32,245	8,790	442,163	4,889	26,158	2,276,528
1903	1,279,760	202,437	42,992	8,692	491,918	5,041	19,444	2,245,839
1904	1,561,111	226,834	51,621	10,368	496,017	5,101	20,851	2,542,919
1905	1,775,955	193,614	40,471	9,772	435,704	5,298	23,855	2,672,973
1906	1,939,447	189,353	38,543	10,313	438,036	5,279	26,374	2,838,081
1907	1,866,253	174,115	56,431	10,378	458,172	4,951	36,815	2,824,211
1908	1,390,171	160,980	75,762	9,916	542,761	4,644	31,917	2,570,137
1909	1,394,056	180,812	59,881	6,951	715,837	4,472	26,301	2,713,971
1910	1,990,180	212,797	81,452	6,480	630,664	4,561	35,725	3,174,864
1911	2,128,826	213,217	77,991	5,596	638,577	4,354	44,452	3,381,921

* The figures in this column are exclusive of areas double-cropped.

No. 37.—Production of Crops.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Agricultural Production.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1901	16,173,771	6,292,745	593,548	199,118	526,260	891,190	63,253	5,855,674
1902	14,808,705	3,844,993	687,179	187,711	472,621	868,479	39,146	7,060,203
1903	1,585,097	3,049,269	351,758	183,105	243,379	806,140	30,732	4,138,627
1904	27,334,141	6,836,740	1,252,156	227,511	816,810	1,086,820	56,743	8,358,924
1905	16,464,415	4,951,132	652,646	199,640	366,293	928,160	48,754	5,413,710
1906	20,737,200	5,539,750	883,081	201,998	459,182	831,700	50,386	6,543,050
1907	21,817,938	5,763,000	1,404,554	221,560	621,846	1,140,000	114,856	7,517,550
1908	9,155,884	4,527,852	851,776	277,390	376,800	778,500	55,882	6,587,990
1909	15,483,276	5,216,038	1,119,558	144,760	730,014	736,262	71,794	8,318,900
1910	28,532,029	7,098,255	1,966,586	131,081	981,201	808,87c	100,143	10,908,320
1911	27,913,547	7,594,130	1,702,706	160,311	842,763	805,600	121,033	9,489,330

No. 38.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1901 ...	10'6	30'5	20'2	19'01	1'13	197	2'15	2 8 0
1902 ...	10'6	22'9	21'3	21'35	1'07	178	1'50	3 2 0
1903 ...	1'2	15'1	8'2	21'07	0'49	160	1'58	1 16 10
1904 ...	17'5	30'1	24'3	21'94	1'65	213	2'72	3 5 9
1905 ...	9'3	25'6	16'1	20'43	0'84	175	2'04	2 0 6
1906 ...	10'7	29'3	22'9	19'59	1'05	157	1'91	2 6 1
1907 ...	11'7	33'1	24'9	21'34	1'36	230	3'11	2 13 3
1908 ...	6'6	28'1	11'2	27'97	0'69	168	1'75	2 11 3
1909 ...	11'1	28'8	18'7	20'83	1'02	165	2'73	3 1 3
1910 ...	14'3	33'4	24'1	20'23	1'56	177	2'80	3 8 9
Mean for 10 years	10'7	27'7	19'2	21'41	1'09	182	2'28	2 11 2
1911 ...	13'1	35'6	21'8	28'65	1'32	185	2'72	2 16 1

No. 39.—Live Stock.

1st December.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.*	All other.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1900	481,417	420,148	1,562,968	40,020,506	256,577
1901	486,716	417,835	1,629,619	41,857,099	265,730
1902	450,125	351,287	1,389,939	26,649,424	193,097
1903	458,014	523,438	1,357,140	28,656,501	221,592
1904	482,663	591,936	1,557,193	34,526,894	330,666
1905	506,884	644,164	1,693,809	39,506,764	310,702
1906	537,762	713,049	1,836,895	44,132,421	243,370
1907	578,326	756,916	1,994,277	44,461,839	216,145
1908	591,045	777,149	2,178,785	43,370,797	215,822
1909	604,784	794,549	2,233,178	46,202,578	237,849
1910	650,636	866,030	2,274,277	45,560,969	321,632

* Up to 1902 the figures include only the cows actually in milk at the time the returns were taken. The figures for the last five years are made up as follow :—

Year.	Milch Cows.	Dry Dairy Cows.	Heifers within 3 months of calving.	Total Dairy Cows
1906 .. ..	.. 494,820 ..	.. 172,888 ..	.. 45,341 ..	.. 713,049
1907 .. ..	.. 506,395 ..	.. 206,828 ..	.. 43,693 ..	.. 756,916
1908 .. ..	.. 527,843 ..	.. 208,840 ..	.. 40,466 ..	.. 777,149
1909 .. ..	.. 566,378 ..	.. 189,507 ..	.. 38,664 ..	.. 794,549
1910 .. ..	.. 632,786 ..	.. 193,657 ..	.. 39,587 ..	.. 866,030

No. 40.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year.	Wool (as in the grease).	Tallow.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1900	237,660,000	444,429	41,479,794	3,558,823	10,863,125
1901	310,075,000	450,713	39,056,878	3,838,835	11,080,891
1902	217,411,000	251,188	29,950,977	4,148,038	8,995,856
1903	227,004,000	235,198	38,727,107	4,748,176	7,864,771
1904	250,941,000	353,082	53,591,243	4,223,621	10,680,532
1905	297,154,000	495,157	53,040,250	4,625,980	11,652,440
1906	325,441,000	487,911	58,941,137	5,389,345	11,843,595
1907	367,446,000	490,549	60,041,449	4,586,857	10,358,526
1908	338,129,000	432,294	61,380,876	4,763,360	9,488,299
1909	370,808,000	640,113	62,865,608	4,775,268	9,931,377
1910	415,338,000	756,100	76,624,830	5,191,089	12,620,067

No. 41.—Persons employed permanently in Rural Occupations.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1900	105,925	16,299	122,224	1906	111,625	19,817	131,442
1901	104,503	16,423	120,926	1907	117,522	21,341	138,863
1902	103,796	19,113	122,909	1908	120,106	20,809	140,915
1903	102,212	16,409	118,621	1909	119,836	22,317	142,153
1904	106,472	18,279	124,751	1910	123,769	22,573	146,342
1905	108,638	19,492	128,130	1911	126,543	24,632	151,175

No. 42.—Average Prices in London of New South Wales Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat.	Flour.	Butter (Best Quality).		Wool.		Tallow.
			Top.	Bottom.	Greasy.	Scoured.	
	per qr. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.	per cwt. s.	per cwt. s.	per lb. d.	per lb. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.
October, 1910 ...	38 3	9 13 0	112	110	11	1 6	35 0
November, " ...	37 0	9 7 0	107	104	10½	1 6	36 0
December, " ...	37 3	9 6 0	103	101	10½	1 5	34 0
January, 1911 ...	37 0	9 2 0	106	104	10½	1 4	35 0
February, " ...	37 0	9 0 0	102½	98½	10	1 3	35 0
March, " ...	36 3	8 19 0	101½	98	10½	1 3½	35 0
April, " ...	36 0	8 16 0	104	100	10	1 3	32 0
May, " ...	37 0	8 18 0	98	95½	10	1 3	31 0
June, " ...	36 6	8 16 0	101	99	9½	1 3	28 0
July, " ...	36 0	8 11 0	*	*	9½	1 4¾	31 0
August, " ...	36 9	8 16 0	119	113	10½	1 4¾	31 0
September, " ...	37 0	9 1 0	122½	119½	10½	1 5	33 0
October, " ...	37 0	9 6 0	131	133½	10	1 5	33 0

* No quotations.

No. 43.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat (Milling).	Flour.	Bran.	Pollard.	Oats.	Maize.	Hay (Oaten).
	per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.	per bushel. d.	per bushel. d.	per bushel. s. d.	per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.
October, 1910 ...	3 9	9 12 0	9	9½	2 5½	2 6½	3 15 0
November, " ...	3 8	9 0 0	9½	9½	2 6	2 6½	3 18 0
December, " ...	3 8	9 0 0	10½	10½	2 6½	2 7½	4 0 9
January, 1911 ...	3 7½	8 17 6	10½	9½	2 6½	2 7	3 18 0
February, " ...	3 5	8 8 9	10½	10½	2 5½	2 6½	4 3 9
March, " ...	3 3	8 1 9	10½	10½	2 6	2 6	3 17 3
April, " ...	3 5½	8 5 0	11½	11½	2 7	2 5	4 7 0
May, " ...	3 4½	8 9 0	13	13	2 8½	2 6½	6 0 0*
June, " ...	3 3½	8 10 0	12	12	2 7½	2 7	6 3 0*
July, " ...	3 3½	8 7 6	12	11½	2 7½	2 8½	6 12 0*
August, " ...	3 6½	8 4 9	11½	11½	2 7½	2 11	4 6 9*
September, " ...	3 7½	8 12 6	12	12	2 9	3 7½	4 5 0
October, " ...	3 7½	8 13 9	12½	12½	2 9½	3 8½	4 1 9

	Potatoes (Local).	Butter (Best Brands).	Cheese (Loaf).	Bacon (Sides).	Lard (Bulk).	Eggs.	
						"Norths" and "Souths."	New Laid.
	per ton. £ s. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per doz. s. d.	per doz. s. d.
October, 1910 ...	10 0 0	11	6½	8	6½	0 8½	0 10½
November, " ...	9 7 6	10½	6½	8½	6½	0 8	0 11½
December, " ...	8 5 0	10	6½	8½	6½	0 10	1 1½
January, 1911 ...	5 11 6	9½	6½	7½	6½	0 9	1 0
February, " ...	5 0 0	9½	6½	7½	6½	0 10½	1 5½
March, " ...	5 8 9	9	5½	7½	6	1 2½	1 8½
April, " ...	5 11 6	9	5½	7½	5½	1 3½	2 0
May, " ...	4 11 3	9½	5½	6½	5½	1 6½	2 0
June, " ...	.....	10½	5½	5½	5½	1 8½	1 10½
July, " ...	6 12 0	11½	6½	6½	5½	1 3	1 4
August, " ...	7 5 6	12	6½	6½	6	0 10	0 11½
September, " ...	5 15 9	11½	6½	7½	6	0 9½	0 10½
October, " ...	5 3 0	12	6½	8½	6	0 8½	0 10

* Local supply very limited.

No. 44.—Gold produced, January to October, and Minerals exported, January to September.

Gold yield during the first ten months of the years 1911 and 1910.

Month.	1911.		1910.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz. fine.	£	oz. fine.	£
January to September... ..	130,619	554,834	145,091	616,303
October... ..	22,020	93,535	14,041	59,641
Total for ten months... ..	152,639	648,369	159,132	675,944

Exports of Minerals during the first nine months, 1911 and 1910.

Exports.	Nine months, 1911.		Nine months, 1910.		Third Quarter, 1911.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Silver Ingots and Matte ... oz.	1,218,377	119,509	1,229,685	121,766	507,071	49,432
Silver-lead, Concentrates, &c.... tons	252,856	1,601,116	225,697	1,153,446	96,741	639,093
Lead, in Matte	11,295	134,936	15,132	176,733	4,455	53,480
Zinc Concentrates	396,227	1,055,723	335,301	897,467	142,338	377,544
Copper Ingots, and Ore*	15,103	806,934	15,133	750,985	5,516	298,235
Tin Ingots and Ore*	1,704	269,762	1,908	245,108	615	100,485
Coal—						
To Australasian Ports	1,839,721	951,473	1,837,750	927,573	683,960	357,088
" Other	1,752,870	956,183	1,504,907	825,378	669,011	361,113
Total Export of Coal... ..	3,592,591	1,907,656	3,342,657	1,752,951	1,352,971	718,201
Grand Total ... ..	.....	5,895,636	.....	5,098,456	.....	2,236,470

* Information respecting total value of copper and tin ore imported or transferred into this State is not available.

No. 45.—Quantity and Value of Minerals produced, 1909 and 1910.

Minerals.	1909.		1910.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
		£		£	£	£
Metallic—						
Gold oz. fine	204,709	869,546	188,857	802,211	.....	67,335
Silver	1,718,005	168,974	1,773,913	175,775	6,801	.....
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, &c.... ton	269,306	1,484,641	317,697	1,685,704	201,063	.....
Lead—Pig, &c.	15,476	186,073	21,195	248,561	62,488	.....
Zinc Spelter & Concentrates,,	373,906	1,041,280	468,627	1,289,634	248,354	.....
Tin Ingots and Ore	1,943	211,029	1,868	228,156	17,127	.....
Copper, Matte, Ingots, and Ore	6,966	424,737	12,890	486,257	61,520	.....
Antimony and Ore	95	711	97	1,450	739	.....
Bismuth	9	1,624	6	2,004	380	.....
Wolfram	127	11,249	166	16,258	5,009	.....
Scheelite	193	14,618	151	15,747	1,129	.....
Molybdenite	28	3,249	47	5,667	2,418	.....
Platinum oz.	440	1,720	332	1,418	.....	302
Iron ton	26,762	100,357	40,487	161,948	61,591	.....
Iron Oxide	4,900	4,948	1,351	714	.....	4,234
Ironstone Flux... ..	4,339	3,471	1,648	1,321	.....	2,150
Non-metallic—						
Coal ton	7,019,879	2,618,596	8,173,508	3,009,657	391,061	.....
Coke	204,274	137,194	282,337	189,069	51,875	.....
Kerosene Shale	48,718	23,617	68,293	33,896	10,279	.....
Alunite	3,500	8,791	1,136	2,840	.....	5,951
Limestone Flux	45,078	13,851	56,938	16,946	3,095	.....
Marble ... ..	.....	1,700	.....	2,134	434	.....
Diamonds carat	5,474	3,959	3,606	2,881	.....	1,078
Opal ... ..	.....	61,800	.....	66,200	4,400	.....
Sundry Minerals ... ..	.....	5,475	.....	8,722	3,247	.....
Total ... .. £	.....	7,403,210	.....	8,455,170	1,133,010	81,050
					Net increase £1,051,960	

NOTE.—The above table does not include iron made from scrap valued at £6,000 in 1909, nor lime and Portland cement valued at £226,483 and £281,299, respectively, in 1909 and 1910. These items are accounted for in the manufacturing returns.

No. 46.—Value of Minerals Produced, and Total Miners Employed.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Total Minerals Produced.	Total Miners Employed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	No.
1900	1,070,920	2,604,117	425,301	142,724	1,668,911	6,362,078	43,745
1901	737,164	1,854,463	412,292	76,544	2,178,929	5,680,739	36,615
1902	684,970	1,440,179	307,806	59,593	2,206,598	5,102,321	33,695
1903	1,080,029	1,501,403	462,640	150,208	2,319,660	5,957,512	37,559
1904	1,146,109	2,065,540	406,001	188,377	1,994,952	6,243,261	37,837
1905	1,165,013	2,494,052	527,403	226,110	2,003,461	6,897,081	38,932
1906	1,078,866	2,862,973	789,527	255,744	2,337,227	7,912,716	42,546
1907	1,050,730	3,915,940	727,774	293,305	2,922,419	10,295,290	43,758
1908	954,854	2,160,195	502,812	205,447	3,353,093	8,384,149	38,965
1909	869,546	1,653,615	424,737	211,029	2,618,596	7,403,210	36,405
1910	802,211	1,861,479	486,257	228,156	3,009,657	8,455,170	37,413

No. 47.—Price Levels.

The index numbers are calculated on the f.o.b. prices, Sydney, based on London prices of principal articles of domestic produce exported. The average prices of 1901 are adopted as basis, and called 1,000.

Period.	General Index— all articles.	Index of Pastoral Products—Wool, Tallow, Hides, Leather, &c.	Index of Metals—Silver, Lead, Copper, Tin.
Year 1909	1,188	1,137	1,066
„ 1910	1,205	1,214	1,111
October, 1902	1,083	1,182	909
„ 1903	1,040	1,091	969
„ 1904	1,106	1,119	1,029
„ 1905	1,210	1,269	1,210
„ 1906	1,296	1,268	1,567
„ 1907	1,309	1,265	1,308
„ 1908	1,157	1,122	1,087
„ 1909	1,206	1,181	1,050
„ 1910	1,225	1,246	1,135
June, 1911	1,160	1,151	1,184
July, „	1,191	1,192	1,202
August „	1,201	1,203	1,193
September „	1,229	1,239	1,178
October, 1911	1,239	1,244	1,192

No. 48.—Manufactories.

Year.	Number of Establish- ments.	Persons Employed.			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Total Wages Paid.	Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
		No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1900	3,077	50,516	10,263	60,779	5,707,640	4,974,216	Not available.
1901	3,367	54,556	11,674	66,230	5,860,725	4,945,079	25,648,471
1902	3,396	54,326	11,943	66,269	6,807,843	5,080,740	Not available
1903	3,476	52,453	13,180	65,633	7,121,806	4,839,557	26,391,028
1904	3,632	53,457	14,579	68,036	7,648,903	5,012,758	27,159,230
1905	3,700	56,117	16,058	72,175	8,031,950	5,191,350	30,028,150
1906	3,861	59,979	17,843	77,822	8,407,337	5,591,888	34,796,169
1907	4,432	65,953	20,514	86,467	9,155,772	6,650,715	40,018,301
1908	4,453	67,616	21,482	89,098	9,718,842	7,218,556	40,163,826
1909	4,581	69,184	22,518	91,702	10,330,724	7,665,125†	42,960,689
*1910	4,823	75,419	24,327	99,746	11,578,620	8,691,386§	49,615,643

* See also Table 49. † Includes salaries £719,134 and wages £6,945,991, of which females received £34,608 and £806,785 respectively. § Of this amount males received £7,728,689 and females £962,697.

No. 49.—Manufacturing Industries, 1910.

Class of Industry.	Establishments.	Persons Employed.			Salaries and Wages.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	289	3,913	73	3,986	323,544
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	43	568	197	765	60,409
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	298	4,820	62	4,882	453,537
Working in Wood ...	620	7,382	41	7,423	630,216
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ...	476	20,587	116	20,703	2,378,610
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	767	10,130	2,988	13,118	1,158,523
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	936	7,325	17,272	24,597	1,397,939
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	407	6,524	2,118	8,642	807,754
Musical Instruments, &c. ...	13	347	36	383	40,337
Arms and Explosives ...	5	30	15	45	2,080
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	361	3,975	80	4,055	346,991
Ship and Boat Building ...	42	1,995	...	1,995	222,101
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	176	2,907	311	3,218	284,865
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	76	775	567	1,342	103,721
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	11	68	19	87	6,991
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	46	597	61	658	58,769
Heat, Light, and Power ...	178	2,468	48	2,516	326,860
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	21	330	62	392	26,857
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ...	58	678	261	939	61,582
Total ...	4,823	75,419	24,327	99,746	£8,691,386
	Value of Machinery, Implements, and Plant.	Value of Materials used.	Value of Fuel Consumed.	Value of Goods Manufactured or work done.	Value of Production, being value added to Raw Materials.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	354,562	†3,959,481	45,955	†4,688,061	682,625
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	174,001	625,432	13,839	886,027	246,756
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	695,082	226,084	147,768	1,186,274	812,422
Working in Wood ...	609,607	1,441,719	10,246	2,468,452	1,016,487
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ...	2,670,504	6,066,309	453,422	10,751,443	4,231,712
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,887,467	13,455,491	185,546	16,956,241	3,315,204
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	442,845	2,446,561	24,362	4,671,647	2,200,724
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	915,848	712,785	23,549	2,076,433	1,340,999
Musical Instruments, &c. ...	9,630	71,443	502	139,505	67,560
Arms and Explosives ...	1,280	4,819	35	7,500	2,646
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	85,114	420,608	9,287	968,173	538,278
Ship and Boat Building ...	362,855	123,400	10,487	402,363	268,476
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	43,375	422,805	4,171	857,946	430,970
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	167,449	442,755	15,540	833,161	374,866
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	3,951	6,918	164	24,444	17,362
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	20,298	87,294	1,409	190,310	101,607
Heat, Light, and Power ...	2,068,638	621,502	234,970	2,056,192	1,199,720
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	11,474	106,250	615	161,518	54,653
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ...	54,640	174,923	2,415	289,953	112,615
Total ...	£11,578,620	31,416,579	1,184,282	49,615,643	17,014,782

* If £221,194, the value added to articles already included in primary industries, be deducted, the total value of the production from the manufacturing industries is £16,793,588. † Including value of wool treated. ‡ Of this amount males received £7,728,689, and females £962,697.

No. 50.—Manufactories—Value of Production, 1901-1910.

Class of Industry.	1901. (Census Year)	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	337,739	555,068	582,673	646,620	682,625
Oils and Fats, &c.	160,718	191,721	212,891	236,837	246,756
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	422,272	561,280	627,506	674,142	812,422
Working in Wood	649,149	801,053	822,973	903,043	1,016,487
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	2,443,432	3,586,103	3,219,156	3,425,875	4,231,712
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,237,369	2,572,503	2,470,914	2,734,190	3,315,204
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Material	1,091,244	1,716,989	1,881,117	1,957,330	2,200,724
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	950,771	1,071,864	1,068,387	1,199,220	1,340,099
Musical Instruments, &c.	22,309	65,742	71,024	62,700	67,560
Arms and Explosives	1,480	1,620	2,924	2,802	2,646
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	266,016	392,036	443,899	444,100	538,278
Ship and Boat Building	148,800	278,630	285,566	256,322	268,476
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	220,434	301,010	327,456	368,095	430,970
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	74,006	266,880	289,696	317,787	374,866
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments ..	17,304	13,903	16,945	16,301	17,362
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	24,698	79,382	89,283	87,011	101,607
Heat, Light, and Power	624,567	920,390	1,087,005	1,055,232	1,199,720
Leatherware, n.e.i.	12,243	32,302	40,640	43,389	54,653
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	37,047	72,376	93,340	104,766	112,615
Total	9,741,598	13,480,852	13,633,395	14,535,762	17,014,782

NOTE.—The value of production from factories dealing with milk products is omitted, as it has already been included in the returns of the Dairying Industry.

No. 51.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1891-1909.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production. The figures are not exact, but are considered the best approximations from the data available.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Year.	Pastoral.	Agricul- tural.	Mining.	Dairying.	Minor— Poultry, Bees, Rabbits.	Forests and Fisheries.	Total Primary Industries.	Manufac- turing (Value added to raw materials).	Total All Industries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	14,725	3,615	6,434	2,735	*	758	28,267	7,799	36,066
1894	11,168	3,439	4,947	2,548	*	690	22,792	6,880	29,672
1895	11,774	4,101	4,499	2,546	*	715	23,635	7,006	30,641
1896	11,774	5,374	4,465	2,546	*	715	24,874	7,302	32,176
1897	11,823	6,250	4,616	2,653	*	750	26,092	8,079	34,171
1898	13,219	4,875	4,756	2,758	*	800	26,408	8,425	34,833
1899	14,527	5,609	5,960	2,543	*	639	29,278	9,207	38,485
1900	13,707	5,856	6,362	3,617	*	796	30,338	9,656	39,994
1901	12,552	7,060	5,681	3,046	*	733	29,072	9,742	38,814
1902	10,731	4,139	5,102	3,403	*	695	24,070	10,000	34,070
1903	12,777	8,359	5,958	3,276	*	779	31,149	9,601	40,750
1904	13,373	5,414	6,243	2,753	799	900	29,482	9,999	39,381
1905	17,113	6,543	6,897	3,123	1,228	1,190	36,094	10,631	46,725
1906	19,743	7,518	7,913	3,425	1,693	1,536	41,828	11,906	53,734
1907	22,281	6,588	10,295	3,567	1,708	1,382	45,821	13,481	59,302
1908	18,846	8,319	8,384	4,064	1,732	1,165	42,510	13,633	56,143
1909	19,040	10,908	7,403	3,983	1,990	1,096	44,420	14,536	58,956
1910	21,028	9,489	8,455	4,776	2,119	1,108	46,975	17,015	63,990

* Prior to 1904 included with the Dairying Industry.

No. 52.—Current Rates of Wages.

NOTE.—The rates of wages shown below, with few exceptions, have been fixed by Wages Boards.

Bakers (bread)—

Board hands, 52/6 per week; machine hands, 42/- per week; (16½ to 20 years), 15/- to 37/6 per week.

Blacksmiths, 54/- to 64/- per week.

Boilermakers—

1/4½ per hour, rd. per hour additional, dirt money.

Bookbinders, 56/- per week.

Bootmakers—Male, 54/-, 1/1½ per hour.

Brassmoulders, 1/3 and 1/4½ per hour.

Bread-carters (60 hours per week), min. 45/-

Brewery and Aerated Water Factory Hands, adult males, 41/- to 50/- per week; adult females, 20/- per week.

Bricklayers, 1/6 to 1/7½ per hour.

Brick-carters, 1 horse, 40/- per week; 2 horses, 48/- per week; 3 horses, 52/-; 3/6 per week extra for each additional horse.

Brickmakers—

Burners, 9/6 per shift; machine men, 1/1½ per hour; pitmen, 1/2 per hour.

Brushmakers, 1/3 per hour, or 52/6 per week.

Butchers (city), without board, 55/- to 65/-

Carpenters and Joiners, 1/4½ per hour; leading hands, 1/6 per hour.

Carters. (See "Trolly and Draymen.")

Cabinetmakers, min. 56/-.

Chairmakers, min. 56/-.

Cigarmakers, 40/- per week.

Coach-painters, 9/4 per day.

Coachsmiths, 9/4 per day.

Coal-lumpers, 1/7½ per hour, day work; 2/3 per hour, night work.

Coke-lumpers, 1/7½ per hour; night work, 2/3 per hour.

Compositors (hand)—Journeymen, 56/- to 60/- per week.

" " Piecework, 1/- to 1/1 per 1,000 ens.

Compositors (machine)—Linotype (newspapers), 3½d. per 1,000 ens (flat rate).

Operators, 1/6 per hour.

Coopers (piecework), 1/4 per hour.

Dockers and Painters, 1/- to 1/4 per hour; overtime, time and half.

Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Electricians—

Mechanics, 9/6 per day.

Fitters, 11/- per day.

Engine-drivers (stationary), 1/1½ to 1/4 per hour.

Firemen " 1/-, 1/1, and 1/1½ per hour.

Farriers—Firemen, 66/- per week.

" Floormen, 60/- "

French-polishers, 54/- per week.

Galvanised Iron-workers, 1/2 per hour.

Glass-workers, 56/- to 66/- per week.

Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Hairdressers (59 hours per week), 48/- to 58/-

Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants.")

Ironmoulders, 1/3½ and 1/4½ per hour.

Jam Factory Workers—

Males, adults, 50/- and 45/-; boys, 15/- to 32/6 per week.

Females, adults, 20/-; girls, 15/-; female fillers, 21/- and 30/- per week.

Labourers—General, 8/- per day.

Letter-press Machinists, min. 52/6 and 60/- per week.

Lithographers, min. 62/6 and 67/6 per week.

Malt-house Hands, 46/- per week.

Marble-workers, 1/2½ to 1/4½ per hour, or 9/6 to 11/- per day.

Masons and Stone-cutters, 1/6 per hour.

Navvies, 1/- per hour.

Painters (44 hours per week), 1/- to 1/3 per hour; average 45/-

Paperhangers, 1/- to 1/3 per hour.

Plasterers, 1/4 to 1/6 per hour.

Plumbers, 1/4½ to 1/5 "

Saddlers 54/- per week, or 1/1½ per hour.

Saw-mill Employees per hour, Machinists, 1s. 3d.;

Saw Sharpeners, 1s. 2½d.; Sawyers, 1s. 0½d. to 1s. 1½d.; Engine-drivers, 1s.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan Retail Grocers), 7/6 to 47/6 per week.

Shop Assistants (Metropolitan Drapers), adults—Males, 52/6 per week.

Females, 30/- per week.

Slaters and Tilers, 11/- per day, or 1/4½ per hour.

Tailors, 55/- per week.

" Pressers, 55/- per week.

Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 27/6 per week and 32/6.

" (trousers hands), order, 22/6 to 26/- per week.

" (machinist), shop, 28/-

" (machinist employed on trousers, vest, or coat) factory, 21/-

" (expert machinist), factory, juvenile coat, 23/-

" (expert machinist), factory, coats, 25/- per week.

Tinsmiths, 11½d. to 1/2 per hour.

Trolly and Draymen—**Coal Carters—**

1 horse, 42/- per week.

2 horses, 47/- "

2/6 per week for each extra horse. Working week not to exceed 56 hours.

Timber-carters, 1 horse, 46/-; 2 horses, 50/-; and 3/- per week for each extra horse.

Tip-carters, 1 horse, 40/-; 2 horses, 45/-; 2/6 per week extra for each additional horse.

Typewriters (females), 10/- to 30/- per week.

Upholsterers, 70/- per week.

Wharf Labourers—

Deep sea, 1/6* per hour; 2/3 overtime.

Interstate and Coastal, 1/3 per hour; 1/10½ overtime.

Wheelwrights, 9/4 per day.

Ferry Employees.

Engine-drivers, £15 to £16/10/- per month.

Firemen, 47/6 to 52/6 per week.

Deck-hands (adults), 32/6 to 36/- per week (60 hours per week).

* With the exception of frozen cargo loading, for which 1s. 9d. per hour for day labour, and 2s. 6d. per hour for night labour, is paid.

No. 52.—Current Rates of Wages—continued.

Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).

Officers, chief, £8/10/- to £20; 2nd, £5/10/- to £17; 3rd, £11 to £14; 4th, £10.
Firemen, £9/10/-.
Trimmers, £7/10/-.

Engineers, chief, £21 to £29; 2nd, £16 to £20; 3rd, £14 to £16; 4th, £12 to £13.
Able Seamen, £7/10-.
,, ,, (sailing ships), £4/10/- to £5.

State (New South Wales)

Officers, Chief, £8/10/- to £17; 2nd, £7 to £13.
Firemen, £9/10/-.
Donkeymen, £10 to £11.

Steamers (per month).

Able Seamen and Trimmers, £7 to £8.
" " " (sailing ship), £5 to £6.

Farm and Station Hands (with rations and lodging), per week or per year.

Boundary Riders, 20/- to 25/-
Bullock Drivers, 20/- to 25/-
Bush Carpenters, 25/- to 30/-
Cooks (station), 22/6 to 30/-
Country Blacksmiths—
Station, 30/-
General (without rations), 50/- to 60/-
Milkers, 20/- to 25/-
Farm Labourers, 20/- to 25/-
Harvest Hands, 6/- to 7/- per day.

Horse-team Drivers, 25/- to 30/-
Married Couples—
Wife, cook, £90 to £100.
Husband, cook, £100 to £120.

Rouseabouts, 15/- to 20/-
Orchard Hands, 20/- to 25/-
Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 24/-
Stockmen, £52 to £65.
Useful Boys, 7/6 to 12/6 (age 15 to 18).
Vignerons, £52 to £55.

Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.

Cooks (Females)—
Hotel, 20/- to 30/-
Station, 20/- to 25/-
Private house, 15/- to 20/-
Boarding-house, 20/- to 30/-
Cook and Laundress, 20/- to 25/-
House and Parlour Maid, 14/- to 17/6
Laundresses, 20/- to 25/-

General Servants (aged 18 years and upwards), 12/- to 20/-
Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 10/- to 12/-
Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 6/- to 12/-
Waitresses (board only), 13/- to 15/-
Gardeners, 25/- to 27/6.
Grooms and Coachmen, 20/- to 25/-

No. 53.—Meteorology.

District.	October, 1911.					October— (Mean 1901-1910).			Mean annual— All previous years.	
	Temperature.			Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Mean Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.
	Mean.	Mean Max.	Mean Min.							
	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.
North Coast—										
Grafton	68·6	81·6	55·6	2·57	7	68·0	2·58	8	68·1	38·81
Hunter and Manning—										
Singleton ... ..	...	...	...	1·35	6	64·5	2·36	6	64·1	29·53
Cumberland—										
Sydney	63·3	70·7	55·8	0·74	11	62·3	2·19	13	63·0	47·95
South Coast—										
Bega ... ..	...	...	...	0·35	3	60·8	1·92	7	59·6	31·35
Northern Tableland—										
Armidale	55·2	68·0	42·4	1·52	6	56·3	2·52	9	56·4	31·61
Central Tableland—										
Bathurst	55·6	69·8	41·4	2·46	6	57·1	2·04	8	57·4	23·72
Southern Tableland—										
Goulburn	57·6	69·2	46·0	1·35	6	55·4	1·97	9	56·0	25·38
North-western Slope—										
Gunnedah	66·1	81·3	50·9	1·33	4	65·2	1·68	7	66·2	25·02
Central-western Slope—										
Dubbo	62·2	78·2	46·2	0·16	5	63·8	1·89	8	63·5	22·43
South-western Slope—										
Wagga	60·4	73·9	46·9	0·12	2	61·4	2·33	8	61·6	21·57
North-western Plain—										
Moree	70·3	87·5	53·0	0·67	5	67·9	1·78	6	68·4	23·48
Central-western Plain—										
Coonamble	65·7	80·6	50·8	0·49	3	66·2	1·59	4	65·8	19·90
Riverina—										
Deniliquin	60·0	73·0	47·0	0·10	3	60·9	1·47	7	62·3	16·27

No. 54.—Crown Lands Selections, 1911.

The following statements show—(first) the Land Selected; and (second), the Area made available for Residential Settlement during the month of October, 1911, and during the period from 1st January to 31st October, 1911 :—

LANDS SELECTED UNDER THE "CROWN LANDS ACT."

Description of Holding.	During October, 1911.		1st Jan. to 31st Oct., 1911.	
	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
Conditional Purchase Leases ... ..	...	...	20	9,503
Original Conditional Purchases	41	6,077	486	73,832
*Conditional Leases applied for simultaneously with and in virtue of these O.C. Purchases	(20)	5,249	(276)	101,068
Original Homestead Selections	26	5,084	300	63,421
Original Settlement Leases	8	28,750	85	345,249
Special Conditional Purchase Leases ... ..	...	...	...	...
Settlement Purchases	12	7,638	216	78,536
Total	87	52,798	1,107	671,609
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
Additional Conditional Purchases	55	6,058	615	98,088
Additional Conditional Leases	54	14,847	530	157,525
Additional Homestead Selections	3	638	37	12,478
Additional Settlement Leases... ..	...	...	17	14,434
Additional Conditional Purchase Leases	1	500	4	804
Total	113	22,043	1,203	283,329

* A Conditional Lease may be of any area not exceeding three times that of the associated Conditional Purchase, and is usually taken up at the same time as the Conditional Purchase. It is not, however, treated as an additional holding.

AREAS SPECIALLY SET APART FOR RESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

Description of Holding.	During October, 1911.		1st Jan. to 31st Oct., 1911.	
	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
For Conditional Purchase Lease ... ..	...	...	...	...
Original Conditional Purchase ... ..	...	...	1	46
Original Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease in virtue thereof ... ..	...	...	...	...
Special Conditional Purchase Lease ... ..	...	...	...	...
Original Homestead Selection	17	3,681	357	70,365
Original Settlement Lease	6	21,161	99	355,011
Settlement Purchase	38	16,112	216	67,513
Total	61	40,954	673	492,935
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
For all forms of Additional Holdings	36	17,823	382	203,832
Additional Conditional Purchase	1	637	5	745
Additional Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease ... ..	...	...	...	...
Additional Homestead Selection... ..	1	10	10	568
Additional Settlement Lease ... ..	...	...	3	2,167
Additional Conditional Purchase, Conditional Lease, or Additional Homestead Selection ... ..	...	...	...	...
Total	38	18,470	400	207,312

No. 55.—Postal Communication.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Letters and Letter Cards carried.	Post Cards carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Miles of Telegraph and Telephone Line.	Telegrams transmitted.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1900	2,189	78,129,284	1,473,410	51,500,920	14,558,454	14,065	3,219,907
1901	2,208	81,152,977	1,630,490	52,317,650	15,216,387	14,272	3,449,315
1902	2,216	89,047,055	1,734,340	47,763,350	16,995,440	14,356	3,627,369
1903	2,228	90,264,671	1,973,540	37,900,840	16,305,421	14,395	3,638,591
1904	2,239	95,006,923	3,263,264	40,384,812	19,485,389	14,491	3,637,280
1905	2,266	103,576,306	8,382,282	44,599,104	23,077,094	14,827	3,837,962
1906	2,288	115,062,748	12,621,096	47,144,094	25,201,131	15,417	4,452,506
1907	2,319	122,130,948	15,097,710	48,340,646	37,191,554	15,910	4,894,283
1908	2,368	134,684,520	14,969,312	50,461,252	38,330,311	16,338	5,149,763
1909	2,397	139,058,694	12,511,546	56,002,764	38,849,363	17,087	5,177,962
1910	2,437	151,315,512	12,438,544	66,963,559	40,609,036	17,615	5,607,178

No. 56.—Health of the Metropolis—October, 1911.

In the following statement due allowance has been made for increase in population.

Particulars.	October 1911.	Average of October for previous 5 years.	Causes of Death.	October 1911.	Average of October for previous 5 years.
Births	1,562	1,399	Diseases of the Heart ...	59	63
Deaths	526	529	Cancer	54	42
Illegitimate Births	155	133	Pulmonary Diseases ...	43	52
Deaths under 1	74	98	Wasting Diseases of Infants...	43	36
„ 1 - 4	29	36	Accident	36	23
„ 5 - 64	296	255	Phthisis	32	41
„ 65 and over	127	140	Bright's Disease	30	28
Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population—			Diarrhœa and Enteritis ...	29	36
Births	29'64	27'00	Hæmorrhage of the Brain, &c.	22	23
Deaths	9'96	10'20	Epidemic Diseases	16	21
Illegitimate Births	3'00	2'64	Senility	15	21
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births	47	70			

The population of the Metropolis on 1st January, 1911, was estimated at 631,600.

No. 57.—The Statement below shows the Rainfall recorded at Representative Stations in the Wheat Belt from May to October, inclusive, during the Years 1910 and 1911.

Stations.	1910.	1911.	Stations.	1910.	1911.
	points.	points.		points.	points.
Tocumwal	933	651	Warialda	861	932
Corowa	1,345	1,054	Tenterfield	1,004	1,046
Albury	1,589	1,181	Glen Innes	1,095	1,160
Urana	926	581	Armidale	1,123	936
Tarcutta	1,459	860	Tamworth... ..	1,023	908
Cootamundra	1,287	1,124	Cassilis	949	897
Wyalong	909	697	Gulgong	892	833
Condoblin... ..	660	556	Bathurst	895	973
Forbes	731	594	Rockley	1,292	1,028
Parkes	821	661	Taralga	1,436	1,252
Dandaloo	612	946	Gundagai	1,321	1,286
Narromine	748	845	Murrumburrah	1,298	1,155
Dubbo	904	895	Burrowa	1,315	1,080
Wellington	846	913	Germanton	1,083	1,150
Coolah	984	915	Temora	1,255	955
Gilgandra... ..	725	768	Tumut	1,860	1,455
Coonabarabran	1,162	1,197	Wagga	1,260	1,044
Narrabri	985	551			

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